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From MONDAY, MARCH 31.  
Canada (Victoria, B.C., Mar. 8), U.S.A.  
Japan ..... Ginyo Maru  
Manila ..... Tenyo Maru  
Manila ..... Zosma  
Canada (Victoria, B.C., Mar. 8), U.S.A.  
Honolulu, Japan, Shanghai and Europe  
via Siberia (London, Mar. 11) ..... Empress of Russia

### TUESDAY, APRIL 1

Straits ..... Van Heuts  
Batavia ..... Tjibadak  
Straits ..... Shirala  
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2  
Japan ..... St. Albans  
U.S.A. (San Francisco, Mar. 8), Honolulu,  
Japan and Shanghai ..... Korea Maru

### OUTWARD MAILS

For MONDAY, MARCH 31.  
Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central  
and South America and \*Europe  
via Victoria, B.C. .... President McKinley  
(Due Victoria, B.C., April 18.)  
Parcels ..... Mar. 31, 8 p.m.  
Registration ..... 4.15 p.m.  
Letters ..... 5 p.m.  
Shanghai and \*Europe via Siberia: President McKinley  
Registration ..... Mar. 31, 5 p.m.  
Letters ..... 4.15 p.m.  
Hankow and Wuchow ..... Kong Ning  
Formosa ..... Zosma ..... 4.30 p.m.  
Saloon, East Africa via Mombasa  
and \*South Africa via Lourenco  
Marques ..... Canada Maru  
TUESDAY, APRIL 1  
Foonchow and Wei Hai Wei ..... Kueichow  
Straits & Calcutta ..... Kumsang  
Parcels ..... April 1, Noon  
Letters ..... 3.15 p.m.  
London, India, Mauritius  
\*Africa, Egypt and  
Marseilles ..... Monseus  
(Due Marseilles, May 2.)  
G.P.O.  
Registration ..... Apr. 1, 1.45 p.m.  
Letters ..... 1.30 p.m.  
Parcels ..... 1.15 p.m.  
Letters ..... 1.00 p.m.

## HOW "GREAT MINDS" ARE OCCUPIED.

CONGRESS MEN LOSE IN A CHILDISH COMPETITION.

REUTER'S "NEWS" SERVICE.

Washington, Yesterday. Members of the United States Congress were worsted last night in a spelling contest between members of Congress and Washington newspaper correspondents. The Congress men were obliged to retire one by one before stumbling-blocks such as "teleomysary," "referable," and "stalsalite." The last surviving Congress man broke down over the spelling of "kimono," giving it a final "A" instead of "O." A correspondent of a New York newspaper was finally crowned "champion speller of the United States." The contest was broadcast throughout the country and a bell was rung near the microphone whenever a competitor made a mistake.—Reuter's American Service.

## EGYPTIAN TREATY.

Negotiations Opened in London.

EXPERT EXAMINATION

Rugby, Yesterday. The British and Egyptian negotiations will be formally and publicly opened in the Locarno Room at the Foreign Office tomorrow morning, when speeches will be made by the Foreign Secre-

## DIPLOMATS DROWN DURING STORM.

PANIC-STRICKEN PASSENGERS JUMP INTO LAKE.

ONLY TWO REACH SHORE.

Belgrade, Yesterday. During a sudden storm over Lake Ochrida a motor boat full of Yugoslav diplomats and their wives, on a pleasure trip, developed engine trouble. The passengers became panic stricken, jumped out from the boat, and tried to swim 200 yards to the shore. Nine were drowned and only two reached the shore alive.—Reuter.

tary, Mr. Henderson, and the Egyptian Premier, Nahas Pasha. After this session it is probable that the negotiations will develop into an expert examination of the existing draft of the treaty. That draft, embodying proposals for a lasting and honourable settlement of the British Egyptian question, was drawn up in agreement by Mr. Henderson and by Mahmoud Pasha and published last August.

Mr. Henderson, who in a covering note described the proposals as representing the extreme limit to which he could recommend to the British Government to go, undertook that if the proposals were ratified by the Egyptian Parliament, he would at once submit them to Parliament in London, with a view to the conclusion and ratification of the treaty carrying them into effect.—British Wireless Service.

## GANDHI'S PLANS NOT SUCCEEDING.

RESIGNATIONS OF VILLAGE OFFICERS.

USE OF THREATS.

Bombay, Yesterday. A Government communique states that the report that large scale resignations of village officers at Gujarat, resulting from Gandhi's campaign in that area, is exaggerated. Only one talati (village accountant) and 74 patels (village headmen and revenue collectors) have resigned. Many since have sought revocation; others, in spite of their resignations, are carrying on. Most of the resignations were obtained through local intimidation, such as the refusal of water, notices of eviction from houses, and other inducements.—Reuter.

## SANITARY BOARD.

Director's Lecture on Malaria

PROPAGANDA HUNT.

At to-morrow's meeting of the Sanitary Board the Honourable Mr. J. P. Braga, pursuant to notice, will ask:

"Will the Government undertake the translating into Chinese of the lecture delivered by the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services on the subject of malaria?"

Will the Government cause to be printed, in separate pamphlet form, in English and Chinese, the said lecture for distribution at such times and to such persons and educational and other institutions as may be considered most beneficial in connection with health propaganda in the Colony?"

A minute will be submitted by the President relative to the appointment of a Committee to consider the Estimates for the Sanitary Department for 1931.

Another minute will be submitted by the President relative to the by-laws governing eatinghouses.

## KAIFENG CAPTURED.

Peking, Yesterday. The Shansi forces claim to have captured Kaifeng yesterday afternoon. Han Fu-chu's forces retreating north-westwards.—Reuter.

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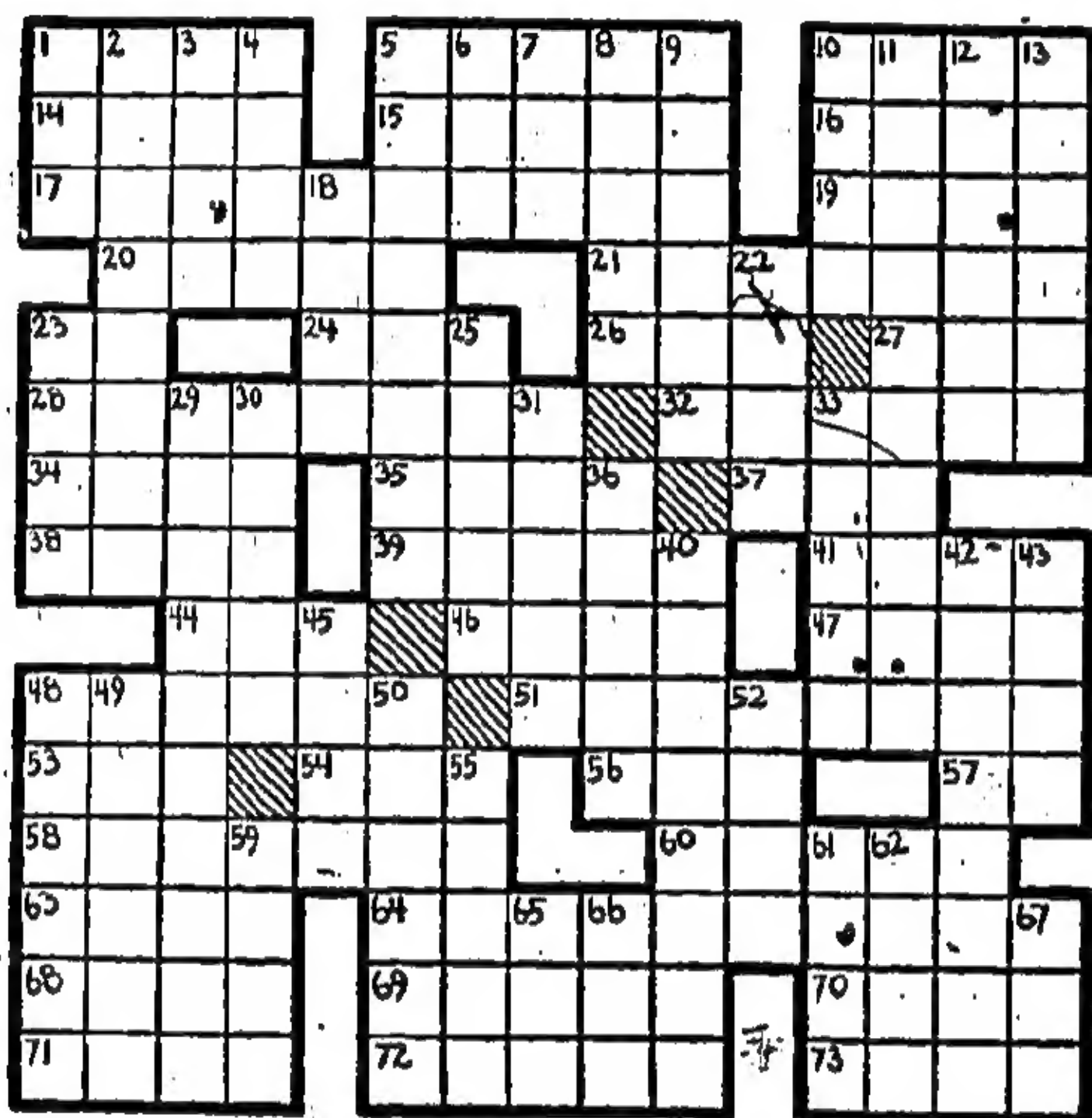
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### DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

(This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but  
our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic  
spellings, such as harbor, plow, and alibi.)



**HORIZONTAL**  
1-Salt (slang)  
5-Go upward  
10-Imports  
14-A melody  
15-Knobs  
16-A land measure  
17-Head of military post  
19-A continent  
20-Tree  
21-Expert  
22-Parent  
23-Edged tool  
26-Musical term, "As it stands"  
27-Grating  
28-Circumlocution  
32-Puffed up  
34-A star in the constellation Cetus  
35-Roughen  
37-Peek-a-boo  
38-Flyer  
39-Musical composer (Norwegian)  
41-One who applies for a passport  
44-Sea gull (European)  
46-Cove  
47-Arm of national defense

**HORIZONTAL (Cont.)**  
48-Fictitious narrative  
51-Palace of Turkish Sultan  
53-The whole  
54-High priest  
55-Boy  
57-Delirium tremens (abbr.)  
58-Slid  
59-Annoy  
62-Air  
64-Depressed  
65-Unit of work (pl.)  
70-Fresh-water fish  
71-Quit  
72-Regimen  
73-Vehicle on runners

**VERTICAL (Cont.)**  
12-Afflict mentally  
13-Cauterized  
18-Wing-shaped  
22-Bundle  
23-Mountain lion  
25-Nave of a ship  
29-Guillotine  
30-Frame for supporting a picture  
31-Smiles broadly  
32-Imitating  
35-Even  
40-Revolution in a circle  
42-Proof  
43-Indian peasant  
45-Shed tears  
48-More speedy  
49-Enice  
50-Heavy hammer  
52-Arabian seaport  
55-Perfect  
58-Nuisance  
61-Sum up  
62-Ratify  
65-Holy Mother  
66-Church (Latin-abbrev.)  
68-Pin  
69-Boy's nickname

(The solution of the above cross-word puzzle will appear in  
to-morrow's issue along with a new cross-word puzzle.)

**SATURDAY'S SOLUTION.**

S	T	U	N	O	S	L	O
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O	S	N	A	K	E	R	A
T	F	E	R	N	S	C	E
S	T	O	R	E	W	A	T
A	A	R	W	E	A	R	S
R	I	N	A	A	R	O	N
L	H	E	R	R	L	O	N
S	H	O	N	E	R	E	A
T	E	S	T	S	E	E	R

### PEASANTS' PARLEY.

**Police Seize Delegates' Passports.**  
The sitting of the World Peasant Congress, representing seventeen countries, was rudely disturbed by the arrival of the Police, who took away the delegates' passports and arrested twenty-five who did not hold passports.  
The victims included the Oxford Professor Mitran, who has protested to the British Government against the confiscation of his passport.  
The Police seemed to suspect that the organization was Communist.

### UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS.

**THE EASTERN EXTENSION AUSTRALASIA & CHINA TELEGRAPH CO., LTD.**  
The following unclaimed telegrams are lying at the E. E. Telegraph Co. office, Hong Kong:  
Captain Aitken, General Post Office, from Sydney, Sub.  
Bas, from Singapore.  
Antonio Poli, 22, Ashley Road, Kowloon, from Saigon.  
Christopher Robin, Hotel, from Kuala Lumpur.  
Samurai, from Taihoku.  
S. LACK, Superintendent, Hong Kong, March 27, 1930.

### THE GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH CO., LTD. OF DENMARK

The following unclaimed telegrams are lying at the office of the Great Northern Telegraph Company (Limited) of Denmark:  
Elizabeth, from New York.  
Chung Dring, from Osaka.  
Saint Patrick Society, from Shanghai.  
Champion, from Tientsin.  
Strom, from Penang.  
Antony, from Hong Kong.

### CHINESE MARKET

#### Prospects for British Trade

##### AN OFFICIAL REPORT

A report on economic conditions in China to September 1, 1929, has just been issued by the Department of Overseas Trade. It contains some rather severe criticisms of British commercial methods in China, for Sir H. Fox, the Commercial Counselor at Peking, states that, after making every allowance for factors which handicap British trade and over which the British manufacturer has little or no control, the home manufacturer, speaking generally, does not pay sufficient attention to the China market, does not exert himself enough to find out what the Chinese really want, does not advertise his goods sufficiently, or present them in a sufficiently attractive manner, and does not give the financial assistance to his agents which they can fairly claim, especially when introducing new goods to the market.

He is aware of at least two American firms in the motor trade each of which spends over \$100,000 a year in advertising, while on the other hand, he has been told by the agent of a British firm in the same trade that his principals last year, for the first time since he took up its agency five years ago, allowed him a sum of \$1,000 for advertising.

##### Increased Import Duties

Although it is too early to judge with any degree of accuracy of the effect which the increased import duties introduced last year will have on Chinese purchases of foreign goods, it is encouraging to find that, taking the Customs returns as a criterion, they have so far not prejudicially affected the volume of imports. At the same time it is stated that the fears generally expressed that likin and similar internal levies would continue to be enforced have been fully realized. Surtaxes on imported goods that have already paid a tariff rate of duty are in fact now levied to a lesser or greater extent in every single province of China. Such surcharges on the transportation surcharges on the Government railways, these being usually far higher than the actual cost of transport warrants.

Such taxation, however, carries with it no discrimination as between the goods of one country and another, and it is therefore useful to examine Sir H. Fox's analysis of the progress of import trade in certain leading lines. On the subject of the cotton piece goods trade, which it may incidentally be remarked has suffered from great fluctuations since the report was written, it is significant to read that complaint is heard on all sides in China that the steady increase in taxation is restricting the consumption of everything beyond the absolute necessities of life, and that the purchasing power of the people has been greatly reduced. The cumulative effect of all sorts of intermediate charges has been to raise the price of many of the better class goods beyond the means of the impoverished inhabitants of the interior districts.

##### Interior Taxes Hamper Trade.

With regard to wool textiles, although the higher scale of duties has had a temporary effect in reducing business, there is no doubt that the demand for such goods is now firmly established, and it is not therefore expected that trade will be crippled. Yet the increasing taxes in the interior are a serious matter, and it is estimated that the effect of such levies has been to reduce clearances and distribution of wool textiles from Shanghai by one-third. The slight increase in the import duty has had "no effect on the rayon trade generally, which is steadily increasing, and the low level of prices has encouraged the development of various new channels of consumption. It is added that for ladies' wear "in particular there should be an increasing demand for artificial silk stockings and dress fabrics, as the modern Chinese girl yields not an inch to her Western sister in the matter of the shortness of her skirts or the skimpiness of her frocks. It is disappointing to find that British yarns have not yet succeeded in gaining any noteworthy proportion of the trade, chiefly on account of the great disparity in prices.

##### Outlook for Engineering.

The report gives a short review of the machinery and engineering trade, and admits that during the past few years the dominant position once held by Great Britain has for the time being been taken by an ever-increasing share in being secured by Germany and the United States. The machinery trade is said to be "in a very depressed state," and it is pointed out that the British manufacturer has not yet succeeded in making his goods sufficiently attractive to the Chinese market.

in which the price factor carries the greatest weight. The United States has an additional advantage in her geographical position. An incentive to further effort on the part of British engineering firms is found in the reminder that at present a country of over 400,000,000 inhabitants is importing annually machinery and industrial plant to the value of only \$4,000,000. It is said that while China may within the next decade go far towards making herself independent of foreign supplies in the matter of clothing and food-stuffs, it will be many years before she can attempt to make for herself the various forms of delicate and complicated machinery which her industries will require.

In this connection an examination might usefully be made of the direction of the expansion of China's manufacturing industries, of which the report gives a short description.

##### Improvement in Railways.

The marked improvement which has taken place in the railways, which are once more running with fair regularity, is ascribed to the staff of the new Ministry of Railways, who have worked hard to rescue them from the military. The great problem now to be faced is their rehabilitation and reconditioning, the cost of which is estimated at \$6,000,000 at least. If and when the necessary funds can be raised, the administrations may see their way to settling their long-overdue accounts, and British firms may look forward to a fair share of the orders for material.

It should perhaps be added that since the report was written the fall in the price of silver has introduced another obstacle to the import trade of China.

The resignation of Sir H. Fox is now announced and the Department of Overseas Trade records its appreciation of his valuable services. The headquarters of the Commercial Diplomatic Services in China are being moved from Peking to Shanghai. Mr. H. J. Brett is being promoted to be commercial secretary, first grade, with the local rank of commercial councillor.

### DOCTOR AS DENTIST

#### Veteran Physician Wants to Aid Eskimos

A less ambitious man probably would feel that his life had been full if he had been a Lincoln booster in 1860 at the age of 11; travelled across the plains, the Rocky and Cascade mountains with a prairie schooner train in 1882, after studying medicine in Chicago; homesteaded a farm in the richly timbered area of Port Angeles, Wash., starting in 1888, at the same time acting as physician, surgeon and general counsellor; been a country doctor from 1891 to 1909; travelled the expenses of Alaska as a physician and school teacher for the Federal Board of Education; served four years as a lieutenant in the Canadian medical corps in Palestine during and after the world war; isolated himself in 1921 at Shishmareff, near Kotzebue Bay, about 250 miles north of Seward, Alaska, and then stayed three years on Little Diomed Island, between Seward and Siberia, to return to the United States in December, 1929.

But not so Dr. G. A. Thompson. When the tall, lanky physician, who acts as if he might be 40 instead of 80, landed in Seattle early in December on the Bureau of Education supply ship, The Boxer, it was not with the idea of settling down and spending the remainder of his years in idleness.

Returning to Alaska "I expect to go back to Alaska next August," Dr. Thompson said, as he was leaving Seattle for California, "but before then I am going to take a short course in filling teeth and fitting glasses. The natives of the Arctic circle need glasses, but so far they have been getting nothing but the cheap lenses brought by small traders and they are worse than none at all."

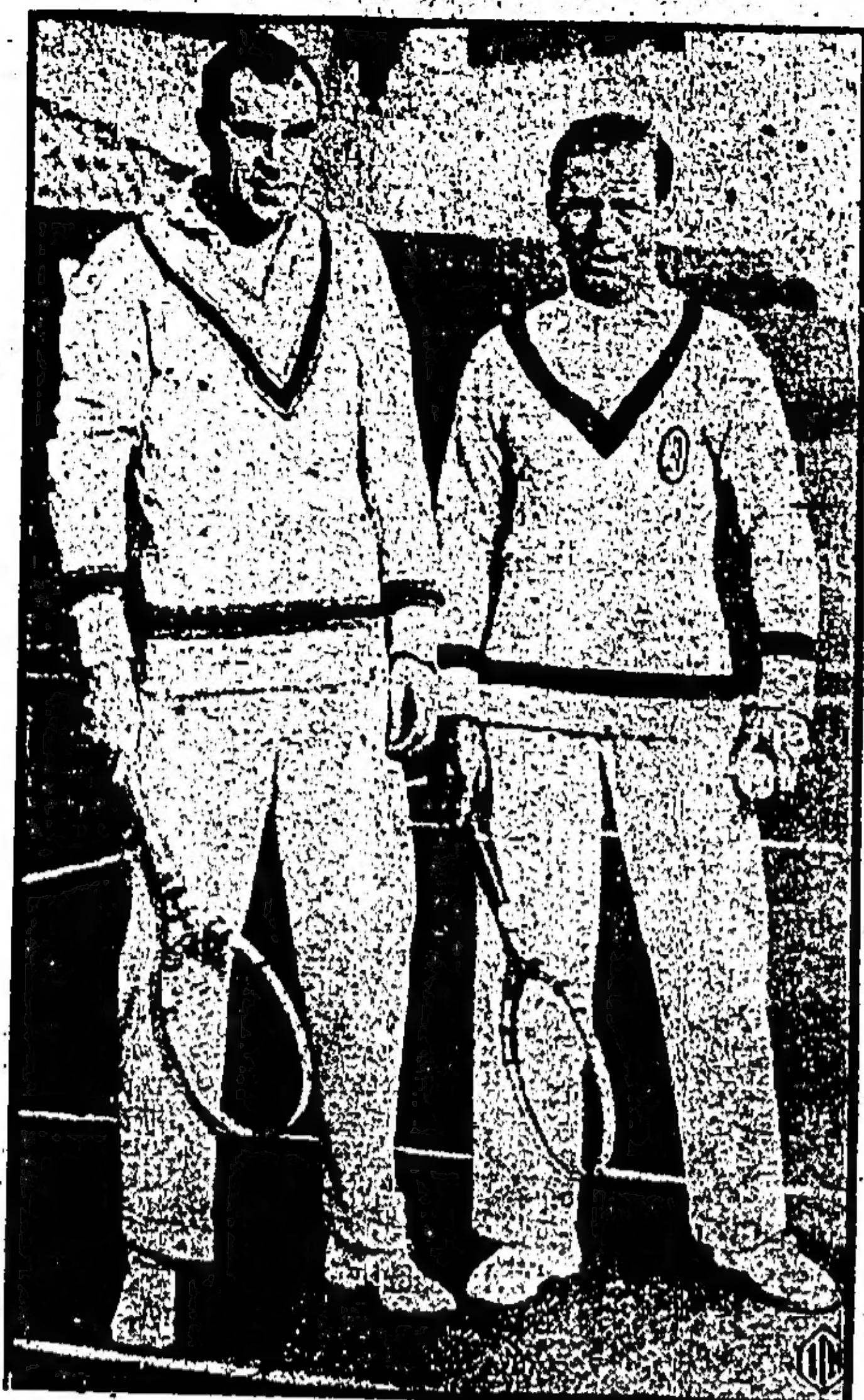
Before the white man invaded the Eskimos' homes they had the most wonderful teeth in the world. But they have learned to eat the white man's food and that means trouble with their teeth.

"Every government post is supplied with forceps and whenever an ache appears or a small cavity is noticed, out that tooth comes. That's making the cure worse than the malady. It's going to be different in the district I go into. I'm going to fill those teeth."

### CANED BOY FAINTS

#### Angry Mother Summons Head Master

Frederick G. Rogers, head master of Meads' Central School, Eastbourne, was summoned at Eastbourne for assaulting Arthur Standen, aged 14, a school-boy. The proceedings were brought by the boy's mother.



"Big Bill" Tilden, in a happy mood, faces the camera on the courts at Monte Carlo with a tennis colleague, K. Kasebuk. The American has recently filled a theatrical engagement in London, where he has a large following.

### "GIB." TUNNEL

#### Activity of Spanish Engineers

The attention of the French public has been recently diverted from the perennial discussion of the proposed Channel vehicular tunnel by the activity of Spanish army engineers seeking to burrow under the Straits of Gibraltar to the North African Coast.

M. Carlos Ibañez de Ibaro, Secretary General of the Spanish Department of the University of Paris, has just advocated in the Journe Industrielle, the newest plan to link the European and African continents. He proposes a three-tubed tunnel from the Bay of Vaqueiros straight to Tangiers, at a maximum approximately a quarter of a mile. The cost of this enterprise, the most ambitious thus far advanced, would be enormous, as the two termini envisaged are more than twice the distance apart than the narrowest part of the Straits.

A Spanish colonel of artillery Pedro Jenevols has drawn up a project for a tunnel between Tarifa and a point slightly to the east of Tangiers. Sounding wells have already been drilled off the coast

near Tarifa to determine the path of the tunnel planned.

Still a third plan has been put forward by a Spanish engineer M. Gallego Herrera; that of a double tube submerged only a short distance beneath the surface of the sea. This plan, according to M. Herrera, will enable the tunnel to be laid across the narrowest part of the straits, measuring only nine miles. The engineer-inventor declares that separate tubes 15 kilometres can be utilized, and that the rigidity of the entire structure can be effected by the same principle that obtains in the suspension bridge.

A total expenditure of \$100,000,000 will be required to carry out the housing project planned by the Roumanian Government for its officials and civil service workers.

Independence Hall at Philadelphia was on several occasions used as a prison in Revolutionary times by the British troops, captured American officers being detained there.

Tasmania leads the world in the per capita consumption of electrical power, although the main power development began only about 14 years ago. Canada comes next.

### "GOOD PRESS" DAY.

#### Celebrations in Catholic Cathedral

##### PORTRAIT OF A PATRON

Yesterday was the Catholic "Good Press" Day. Celebrations at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Glenelyn, started at 8 a.m., with High Mass, and in the afternoon there was Sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 4 o'clock, after which an "At Home," which was largely attended, was held at the Mission House, Caine Road.

The "At Home" opened with a very enjoyable musical programme, after which addresses on the Catholic Press were given in both English and Portuguese. The Rev. Fr. Gallagher, S.J., was amongst the speakers, and in an appeal for support for The Rock, drew attention to the fact that nearly a million and a quarter magazines of all sorts were sold in the Colony during the past year, and suggested that much of that support could be diverted to the Catholic Press.

During the evening a portrait was unveiled of the late Mr. Jose Ferreira, patron of the Catholic Press, whilst a portrait of the Rt. Rev. Bishop Valtorta, D.D., was presented to the Catholic Union Club.

### MR. C. E. HOLMES.

#### Returns Home Upon Retirement.

Amongst the passengers leaving for Home on Saturday by the a.s. Rawalpindi were Mr. C. E. Holmes, Superintendent Engineer of the Indo-China Steam Navigation Company. Mr. Holmes is returning Home on retirement.

Mr. Holmes first came to China in 1896, serving his apprenticeship with Messrs. S. C. Farnham Co., Limited, of Shanghai. The firm is now known as the Shanghai Dock and Engineering Works.

Later, in 1901, Mr. Holmes joined the Indo-China Company as fourth engineer on the Kunming, and had remained with them ever since.

Mr. Holmes's family are well-known in the Far East. Mr. Holmes, senior, died in 1901, after serving Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd., for many years on the Company's steamers. Mr. C. E. Holmes's elder brother, Captain H. W. Holmes, is recalled as the only foreigner to lose his life when the a.s. Hong Moh, of which he was in command, foundered on the Boat Rocks after leaving Swatow in the height of a gale on March 2, 1921.

A younger brother, Mr. L. S. Holmes, is still in the employment of the Indo-China Navigation Co., Ltd., being Chief Engineer of one of the Yangtze steamers.

Small, high-pressure tyres are responsible for the corrugated surface of some highways, while balloon tyres produce no noticeable roughness of the surface. This conclusion has been reached following two years of road tests carried out at the State College in Washington.

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## CRICKET.

## All League Games But One Postponed.

## CLUB DE RECREIO'S FORTUNE

Ground conditions, after the downpour of the last few days, were responsible for the postponement of all but one of the fixtures down for decision in the Cricket League on Saturday.

Club de Recreio accounted for the Police R.C. in Division II, and are now at the top of the table, being one point ahead of the Hong Kong C.C. 2nd (holders). The latter, however, have one match in hand (which is against the Indian R.C. 2nd), which they must win to retain the championship. In the event of a draw, the two leaders will tie for first place, in which case there will be a play-off, but should the H.K.C.C. lose to the I.R.C., the Junior Shield will go to the Recreio.

The Indians are at the top of their form just now and might bring off a surprise victory.

## League II

## RECREIO V. P.R.C.

At King's Park, the Club de Recreio defeated the Police R.C. by 26 runs.

Battling first, the home team compiled 102, L. J. Gutierrez being top-scorer with 27, while H. M. Xavier and Barros helped with 23 and 22. T. H. King (4 for 19) returned the best analysis for the visitors.

Sousa and Pereira were in fine form with the ball and were greatly responsible for the dismissal of the Police for the small total of 76.

Bowling Analysis			
	O.	M.	R. W.
L. J. Gutierrez, c Reynolds, b Alexander	27	1	18 2
H. A. Alves, b Thompson	1	1	10 1
H. A. Barros, c and b King	23	2	10 1
H. M. Xavier, c and b Sherry	22	1	10 1
P. F. Xavier, c Wynne, b Sherry	11	1	10 1
F. J. Remedios, l.b.w., b B. G.	11	1	10 1
Baker	11	1	10 1
G. Gutierrez, b Alexander	10	1	10 1
F. H. Carvalho, b King	10	1	10 1
J. H. Figueiredo, not out	3	0	10 1
A. P. Pereira, b King	13	1	10 1
C. M. Sousa, b King	4	0	10 1
Extras	4	0	10 1
Total	102		

Bowling Analysis			
	O.	M.	R. W.
Alexander	9	1	18 2
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F. W. Sherry, b A. P. Pereira	10	1	10 1
P. F. Xavier, c and b A. P. Pereira	10	1	10 1
W. le B. Sparrow, run out	13	1	10 1
W. Thompson, b A. P. Pereira	11	1	10 1
Extras	2	0	10 1
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H. A. Alves	4	2	5 0
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Leeds U.	1	Liverpool	1				
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Portsmouth	2	Newcastle	1				
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Sunderland	2	Grimsby	0				

## Goals.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Wednesday	31	19	6	8	40	44	44
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Derby	35	18	7	10	38	43	43
Peterborough	35	18	7	10	38	43	43
Blackburn	35	18	7	10	38	43	43
Liverpool	35	18	7	10	38	43	43
Aston Villa	34	17	4	13	75	70	38
Leicester	33	15	6	15	69	78	36
Huddersfield	31	15	8	13	53	59	36
Leeds	31	15	8	13	53	59	36
Bolton	30	15	5	15	74	69	35
Portsmouth	30	14	7	15	64	60	35
Sheffield U.	30	14	6	16	60	55	34
Birmingham	30	14	5	17	77	73	33
Sunderland	30	13	7	13	54	49	33
Arsenal	30	13	7	13	54	49	33
Burnley	30	13	6	14	57	48	32
Middlesbrough	30	13	6	14	57	48	32
Manchester U.	30	13	5	17	55	72	31
Newcastle	30	13	5	17	55	72	31
Everton	30	13	5	17	55	72	31
Grimsby	30	13	5	17	55	72	31

## Division II

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Bradford C.	1	Notts Forest	1				
Bristol C.	1	Tottenham	1				
Cardiff	3	Millwall	1				
Charlton	2	Barnsley	1				
Hull City	0	Blackpool	3				
Notts C.	2	West Brom.	1				
Preston	1	Southampton	1				
Reading	1	Bradford	0				
Stoke	1	Bury	0				
Swansea	3	Oldham	0				
Wolves	0	Chelsea	0				

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	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
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Oldham	34	10	9	8	78	39	47
Chelsea	35	13	11	8	65	38	47
Bradford	35	15	9	11	69	61	39
Cardiff	35	15	9	11	69	61	39
Bury	34	17	4	13	67	57	38
Southampton	34	14	9	12	63	60	37
Notts For.	35	12	12	11	49	53	36
Tottenham	35	13	9	13	51	49	35
Charlton	34	12	11	11	53	46	35
Wolves	35	13	8	14	61	67	34
Stoke	35	13	8	14	61	67	34
Notts Cnty.	35	10	14	11	53	53	34
West Brom.	35	14	5	16	82	49	33
Reading	35	10	11	15	62	56	32
Preston N.E.	35	10	15	10	52	60	31
Millwall	35	7	15	13	48	54	30
Bradford C.	35	9	11	15	62	43	29
Swansea	35	10	9	17	47	47	28
Walsley	35	11	10	14	53	43	27
Barnsley	35	10	8	17	45	46	26
Bristol C.	34	9	7	18	45	38	25



## CRICKET.

## All League Games But One Postponed.

## CLUB DE RECREIO'S FORTUNE

Ground conditions, after the downpour of the last few days, were responsible for the postponement of all but one of the fixtures down for decision in the Cricket League on Saturday.

Club de Recreio accounted for the Police R.C. in Division II, and are now at the top of the table, being one point ahead of the Hong Kong C.C. 2nd (holders). The latter, however, have one match in hand (which is against the Indian R.C. 2nd), which they must win to retain the championship. In the event of a draw, the two leaders will tie for first place, in which case there will be a play-off, but should the H.K.C.C. lose to the I.R.C., the junior Shield will go to the Recreio.

The Indians are at the top of their form just now and might bring off a surprise victory.

## League II

## RECREIO V. P.R.C.

At King's Park, the Club de Recreio defeated the Police R.C. by 26 runs.

Battling first, the home team compiled 102, L. J. Gutierrez being top-scorer with 27, while H. M. Xavier and Barros helped with 23 and 22. T. H. King (4 for 19) returned the best analysis for the visitors.

Sousa and Pereira were in fine form with the ball and were greatly responsible for the dismissal of the Police for the small total of 76.

Club de Recreio.			
L. J. Gutierrez, c Reynolds, b Alexander	27		
H. A. Alves, b Thompson	1		
H. A. Barros, c and b King	23		
H. M. Xavier, c and b Sherry	22		
D. P. Xavier, c Wynne, b Sherry	1		
F. J. Remedios, l.b.w., b B. G. Baker	11		
G. Gutierrez, b Alexander	0		
F. H. Carvalho, b King	10		
J. H. Figueiredo, not out	1		
P. Pereira, b King	1		
C. M. Sousa, b King	0		
Extras	4		

Total			
Recreio	102		
BOWLING ANALYSIS			
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Newcastle	33	12	3	18	61	82	27
Everton	35	8	10	17	59	78	28
Grimby	35	10	6	19	69	79	28

## Division II.

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Bristol C.	1	Tottenham	1
Cardiff	3	Millwall	1
Charlton	2	Barnsley	1
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Solves	35	13	8	14	65	84	34
Stoke	35	13	8	14	65	84	34
Notts City	35	10	14	11	53	68	34
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## Division III—South

Bournemouth	1	Swindon	3
Crystal P.	1	Walford	1
Exeter	0	Wentford	0
Fulham	1	Torquay	1
Gillingham	0	Coventry	1
Luton	1	Brighton	1
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In filling up these forms, the following points should be noted: "Manner of arrival" or "departure" need only be indicated when goods enter or leave by rail, road, or air. "Description" should follow as closely as possible the classification list which will shortly be published: price 60 cents, obtainable at the Statistical Office. "Weight or measurement" should be given according to the classifier used in the list for each type of goods. "Value" of imports should be the cost of goods as landed, in Hong Kong dollars: of exports, the cost as shipped. "Country of origin" means origin in present condition, not origin of raw material. Where the country of origin is unknown, the country of shipment should be given. Different classes of goods, or cargo by different steamers, may be entered on a single form if desired, but import and export cargo must be kept separate. The completed declarations must reach the Statistical Office not more than 7 days after bills of lading have been presented at the shipping office (in the case of imports): or, for exports, after the ship carrying the cargo has left the harbour. Thus any firm wishing to send in declarations weekly can do so. They may be sent by messenger or by post.

To enable shipping companies to make their returns, all documents presented to them by importers and exporters, such as bills of lading, mates' receipts, etc., must bear the name and address of the person or firm presenting them clearly stamped or written.

W. SCHOFIELD,  
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**GENERAL NOTICES**

**HONG KONG GENERAL  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of Members will be held in the old Chamber of Commerce Room, City Hall, on MONDAY, MARCH 31, 1930, at 4.30 p.m. for the following purposes:—

- (1) To receive the Report and Accounts of the Committee for the year ended December 31, 1929.
- (2) To elect a new Committee.
- (3) To transact any General Business.

By Order,  
E. R. PRICE,  
Acting Secretary.  
Hong Kong, March 20, 1930.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE.**

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**COMPANY MEETINGS**

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Office of the Company, 2, Queen's Building, Hong Kong, on MONDAY, 31st March, 1930, at Noon, for consideration of the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1929.

THE SHARE REGISTER and TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 24th to the 31st March, 1930, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
R. M. DYER,  
Chief Manager.  
Hong Kong, 18th March, 1930.

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**NAUGHTY GENERAL**

**Advice to Chang Fa-kuei  
to Surrender**

**ENEMIES "OFFICIALLY"**

Canton, Saturday.  
With the object of effecting an early liquidation of the Kwangsi rebellion, General Chan Chai-tong, together with five ranking commanders of the 8th Route Army, has despatched a frank and friendly-worded letter characteristic of the C.I.C. to Chang Fa-kuei of the Ironsides, strongly advising him to ponder carefully over his present precarious position and to surrender without further delay to the National Army by severing all his relations with the Kwangsi insurgents. The following is a summary of its contents:

"Three years have elapsed since our last meeting. We were glad to be in receipt of your personal letter, conveyed to us by your representatives Wang Chao and Sze-to. At first we presumed that Messrs. Wang and Sze-to were the bearers of seasoned reflections, concerning the welfare of the country and the people, but to our great disappointment, we were informed only of the counter-revolutionary strength of Yen Hsi-shan, and advised to revolt against the Central Government. In order to prevent your representatives actively disseminating such mistaken views about, we are obliged to detain them temporarily.

"A Helpless Mess"  
"Officially, we are enemies, but as friends, we do not wish to see you in a helpless mess. You will remember that three years ago you specially wrote us a letter, requesting our co-operation to drive Li Chung-jen and Wong Shao-hung (Kwangsi Clique) out of Kwangtung, in order to preserve the peace and order of the province, and declaring that, after achieving success, you would continue your activities elsewhere, and would not return with forces to Kwangtung. At that time, we were doubtful about the loyalty of Li and Wong, but our suspicion was confirmed shortly afterwards, when they revolted at Hankow against the Central Government. We appreciated then your ability in anticipating political events; but we were subsequently shocked to find that you yourself soon followed their example. Furthermore, much to our great surprise, you proceeded later to line up with Li and Wong, who were known to be your bitter enemies.

Hence we are at a loss to understand how you could lower yourself by forming such connection. Perhaps you were labouring under the delusion that with your army of 20,000 strong, in addition to Li and Wong's forces, you felt certain of victory. But instead, defeat followed all your sacrifices. Is it not time that you should seek some way for your own protection? Otherwise you would share the same fate as other militarists—destruction. In other words, even if you were lucky to crown your efforts with victory, you would sooner or later be exterminated by Li and Wong for their selfish interests.

The "Red" Tragedy.  
"You are a Cantonese, and it is your duty to relieve your fellow provincials from calamity; but on the contrary, you inflicted on them untold sufferings at every place that you and your soldiers had visited. The 1927 Red Tragedy in Canton was a terrible affair for which you yourself should hold the entire responsibility. The deaths of innocent people were too numerous to recount; orphans and widows of the murdered are still crying out your name as the cause of all their misery. If you had any conscience, you should have felt deeply sorry for that catastrophe. But instead of repentance, you again caused more calamity last year by tramping upon the people with the iron heels of your soldiers along the West River districts. During the last engagement at Fayuan, the loss of civilian lives and property was incalculable; we leave to the historian to comment on whom lies the cruel deed.

Simple Minded Militarists.  
"In regard to the recent affairs of the Party and the country, the Reorganizationists are co-operating with politicians, militarists, the Western Hill Clique and even the Communists, in order to overthrow the Central Government. They have no actual strength, but make use of the simple minded militarists as a tool. The present unification of the country is the most urgent need at present. Those who seek to frustrate this end will certainly be destroyed. You, Chang Fa-kuei, and Li Chung-jen, Yen Hsi-shan, and Tang Sen-chang are good examples. You have no other way out but to surrender to the National Army, and to have a reasonable share in the reconstruction of the country."

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**LOCAL BOOTLEGGERS**

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**PRETTY MEN ARTISTES!**

A band of about 25 of the younger members of the Club de Recreio presented what was styled the "Bootleggers' Revue" at the Clubhouse, King's Park, on Saturday evening to a large audience numbering about 500.

Six of the artistes were dressed as girls and "did their stuff" so well that for a long time it was difficult to convince many of the audience that they were mere masqueraders.

Talkie "Hits".  
The programme, which included 17 items, was a decidedly jazzy one and included such popular songs as "Singing in the Rain," "The Wedding of the Painted Doll," and "Hits" from the Hollywood Revue and other similar "talkies" which were recently shown in Hong Kong. The stage was in a riot of colours and made a very appropriate setting for the show, which was greatly enjoyed by all.

After the review, dancing was indulged in until a late hour to music supplied by the Lyric Dance Band, under the direction of Mr. "Dick" d'Almada.

**LOSS TO COLONY.**

**Departure of Major C.  
Willson.**

Major Christopher Willson, O.B.E., who has been in the service of the Government since 1920, proceeded home on Saturday on leave, on the expiry of which he will proceed to Shanghai as Captain Superintendent of Police.

As First Clerk of the Magistracy and as Acting Second Police Magistrate on numerous occasions, Major Willson has invariably been found of great service to the Press, the members of which always found him most accessible and obliging.

The China Mail joins in the numerous expressions of regret at the loss to the Colony entailed in his appointment in Shanghai, and wishes him a pleasant holiday and every success in his new sphere.

**MR. W. J. CARRIE.**

**Departure on Home  
Leave.**

Mr. W. J. Carrie, M.A., B.Sc. (Edin.), accompanied by Mrs. Carrie and their two children, left for home on Saturday by the P. & O. s.s. Rawalpindi. Mr. Carrie will, it is believed, spend some of his time at home studying Census methods of organisation as Census Commissioner for the Colony on his return in the Autumn.

Mr. Carrie, who arrived in the Colony as a Cadet on January 1, 1915, has seen much varied service here, in addition to military service in 1918-19. He has been Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk of Councils, Assistant Colonial Treasurer and Assistant Assessor of Rates, Second Assistant Colonial Secretary, Secretary of the Sul An Piracy Commission (1922), Acting Superintendent, Botanical and Forestry Department, Secretary, Stocks and Shares Commission (1925), head of the Sanitary Department, and Secretary, Salaries Commission. It is expected that on his return from leave he will devote himself entirely to preparations for the Census to be taken in March or April next year.

**MAN'S "DOUBLE"**

**Impersonation and a  
Strange Sequel**

A remarkable story of impersonation was revealed in a Budapest Court when a man was sentenced to six months' imprisonment for impersonating George Vida, a wealthy landowner.

Vida recently left his luxurious Budapest home to spend two months in his country estate. His servants were greatly surprised when Vida's "double" appeared the same day and declared that urgent business had recalled him to town. The real Vida returned unexpectedly a fortnight later and was dumbfounded to see the impostor entering his own car outside the gate. He summoned the police and the impostor admitted his guilt.

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**Strange Situation in  
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The student leader pointed out that being a national university Peking is on the same footing as Government educational institutions in the ancient capital, and that if students of the latter do not pay their tuition, they should be entitled to the same treatment.

It is confirmed in local educational circles that many of the Universities have not been able to collect tuition fees from their students for years, and that whenever the authorities attempt to collect the fees, they are immediately threatened with strikes. At Peking the tuition charges for university students are \$30 per year and \$20 for one in the preparatory department. These are considered trifling as compared with those charged by private universities like Yenching and P.U.M.C.

Peking students enjoy another privilege not possessed by students in Peking and other parts of the country. This is that they can borrow text books from the University book store throughout their four years of residence in the University. If they want to buy them upon graduation, they are given a fifty per cent. reduction. This enables the poorer students to pursue their studies without providing for their books, which is usually a very heavy item in student expenditures in other institutions.

The student spokesman also stated that this was the fifth time that President Mao Yi-shen had tendered his resignation since he assumed office about a year ago. Mr. Mao has inserted a notice in the vernacular press saying that he has wired his resignation to the Ministry of Education in Nanking and is ready to hand over his duties.

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**CANTON'S CENSUS.**

**Total Less Than One  
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**442 FOREIGN RESIDENTS.**

According to the latest census compiled by the Bureau of Public Safety, the approximate number of population in Canton is in the neighbourhood of 820,000, and the 6th, 8th and 9th districts are the most thickly-populated parts while the 4th and 7th districts have the smallest number of residents.

The number of foreign residents in the city is given as follows:—

Nationality	Male	Female	Total
British	58	66	124
Japanese	27	14	41
German	40	73	113
American	17	63	80
Portuguese	14	23	37
French	7	6	13
Russian	4	7	11
Indian	5	5	10
Dutch	1	1	2
Total	170	298	442

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Shanghai, March 24.  
Mr. F. J. Schuhl, the well-known American attorney and senior member of the law firm of Messrs. Schuhl and Lorton, has the distinction of being the first foreign attorney to be admitted to practice in the Chinese courts of Shanghai and Nanking now being organised, according to an official word brought yesterday from Nanking.

The Nanking Government recently announced conditions under which foreign attorneys will be permitted to practice in the Shanghai District Court and other Chinese tribunals being formed under the recently concluded agreements in connection with the Provisional Court of Shanghai which shortly will cease to function.



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ATSUTA MARU	Saturday	10th April
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AKI MARU	Wednesday	23rd April
KAGA MARU	Wednesday	21st May
<b>BOMBAY</b> via Singapore, Penang, & Colombo.		
AWA MARU	Friday	11th April
NAGANO MARU	Monday	14th April
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<b>BIO DE JANEIRO, SANTOS &amp; BUENOS AIRES</b> —Via Saigon, Singapore, Colombo, Durban & Cape Town.		
BUENOS AIRES MARU	Friday	25th April
SANTOS MARU	Tuesday	20th May
<b>BOMBAY</b> —Via Singapore & Colombo.		
HEINAN MARU	Friday	4th April
SHUNKO MARU (Calls at Saigon)	Monday	7th April
BURMA MARU	Saturday	10th April
<b>DURBAN, LOURENÇO MARQUES, BEIRA, DAR-ES-SALAAM, ZANZIBAR &amp; MOMBASA</b> —Via Singapore & Colombo.		
CANADA MARU	Monday	31st March
<b>CALCUTTA</b> —Via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.		
TACOMA MARU	Friday	4th April
BORNEO MARU	Friday	18th April
<b>VICTORIA, SEATTLE, TACOMA &amp; VANCOUVER</b> —Via Japan Ports from Shanghai.		
ARIZONA MARU (from S'hal)	Tuesday	15th April
MELBOURNE—Via Manila, Brisbane & Sydney.		
MADRAS MARU	Monday	7th April
<b>HAIPHONG</b> —Via Hanoi & Fakh.		
NEW YORK—Via Japan ports, San Francisco & Panama.		
HAVER MARU	Friday	4th April
<b>JAPAN PORTS.</b>		
KINE MARU	Friday	4th April
KASADO MARU	Tuesday	8th April
BATAVIA MARU	Thursday	10th April
<b>KEELUNG</b> —Via Swatow & Amoy.		
HOZAN MARU	Sunday	9th April, Noon.
<b>TAKAO &amp; KEELUNG.</b>		
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### H.M.S. SOMME.

#### Strikes an Uncharted Rock.

A Naval wireless report states that while H.M.S. Somme was out at sea on Saturday she struck an uncharted rock. No material damage was sustained by the hull and the ship returned to Hong Kong under her own power.

The accident is to be all the more regretted inasmuch as it was only recently that the destroyer Seraph—not Serapis as stated in reports elsewhere—also struck an uncharted reef, necessitating considerable repairs that have only just been completed.

The Somme is a destroyer of 1,075 tons, with 27,000 indicated horse power. She carries three 4-inch guns.

### WARSHIPS IN PORT

British warships in port this morning were—

In Basin of R.N. Dockyard: Tamar, Bridgewater, Herald, Troquois, Seawee, Moth.

North Arm: Serapis, Sandwich, Marazion, Sepoy.

West Wall: Stormcloud, Seraph, Somme.

No. 1 Buoy: Hermes.

No. 6 Buoy: Suffolk.

No. 13 Buoy: Bruce.

Foreign men-o'-war in port were:—U.S. gunboat Mindanao.

Portuguese Cruiser Adamastor.

Chinese Training Ship Tung Chi.

Chinese Gunboat Kien Yu.

### CONSIGNEES' NOTICES

Consignees of cargo ex s.s. "Bennevis" are reminded to take delivery of their goods which will be subject to rent after April 1.

Consignees of cargo ex s.s. "Bengloe" are reminded to take delivery of their goods which will be subject to rent after April 3.

Consignees of cargo ex s.s. "Tacoma Star" are reminded to take delivery of their goods which will be subject to rent after April 3.

### SOVIET SHIPPING DEAL IN U.S.

The sale of thirty Shipping Board vessels, with the understanding that they would be operated under foreign registry and used in Russian trade between Leningrad and Russian ports on the Black Sea, the Persian Gulf and Siberia, is announced.

No change in the Government's policy of non-recognition of the Soviet regime was involved, as the sale was made by Mr. Johann Ohsol, of New York, a director of the Amtorg Trading Company, who is an American citizen.

The purchase price was 1,471,000 dollars (\$294,200).

### SHIP AGROUND.

#### Kosai Maru Breaking Up.

Chefoo, Saturday. The Kosai Maru, en route from Wei-hai-wei to Chefoo, went aground on an island off Kung-tungtao Spit in fog on Thursday night.

Distress signals were communicated from the lighthouse and the Customs despatched a harbour tug in charge of Captain Hardy and a pilot.

The tug rescued 124 passengers and later returned with a lighter which took off the compressed staff and a limited amount of cargo.

The captain and crew of the Kosai Maru remained on board, but the position of the ship became so dangerous that it was necessary to send out further distress signals. The tug again went out in reply to these and in a rough sea performed the hazardous work of rescuing the captain and the crew in the early hours of the morning.

The Kosai Maru, which is insured, is expected to break up—Reuter.

### OFFICE THEFTS.

#### Chinese with Forty Pawn Tickets.

#### RICULOUS PLEDGES

Reminded by Mr. R. E. Lindsell on Friday because the Police wanted time to make inquiries with regard to 41 pawn tickets which were found in his possession, the Chinese office breaker made another appearance in Court this morning in connection with three larceny charges against him which he had already admitted, as under:—

From the Canton Trading Association, fifth floor, China Building, a gramophone, a silver cornet, and a camera.

From the Mitsui Chosen Kaisha, Pedder Building, a wall clock.

From the Texas Oil Company, Queen's Building, an alarm clock, and a Buddha curio.

The properties named in the three charges were valued at \$250.

Detective-Sergeant M. Murphy to-day informed His Worship that he had been unable to trace the owners of any of the articles relating to the pawn tickets found on the accused.

The total of money raised on the pawned articles did not exceed \$100. Some of the articles had been pledged for \$1 or \$2, which was ridiculously below their actual value.

His Worship registered convictions on all three counts of larceny against the accused and passed sentence of two months' hard labour on each count, the terms to run consecutively.

### TAIKOO MISHAPS.

#### Three Chinese Workers Injured.

No fewer than three accidents occurred at the Taikoo Dockyard during the week-end. All the victims were Chinese and at least one is in a critical condition at the Government Civil Hospital, where all three were taken.

The serious case was Lo Ying (46) a paint scraper, who received a fracture of the skull as the result of accidentally falling off a staging whilst he was at work on board the s.s. Mashima Maru, which is in dry dock.

Mak Yiu, a coolie, received painful injury to his face as the result of being accidentally hit with a hammer wielded by a feld whilst working in the workshop.

The third victim was another coolie named Cheung Sing. His right hand was badly crushed through being caught between two trucks, one of which he was helping to wheel in the dock. Both trucks were heavily laden.

### ARAB DELEGATION.

#### Visit to Britain About Recent Riots.

Rugby, Yesterday. The Palestine Arab delegation reached London at night. It is headed by Musa Kazim Pasha and includes also the Grand Mufti and the Mayor of Jerusalem. It will see Lord Curzon early in the coming week. British Wireless Service.

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All claims against the vessel must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 15th prox. or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 3rd prox. at 10 a.m. by our surveyors Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bill of Lading will be countersigned by

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No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 1st April, 1930, will be subject to rent.

All claims against the vessel must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 15th April, 1930, or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 3rd inst. at 10 a.m. by Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

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All claims against the steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 17th April, 1930, or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 2nd April, at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

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STEAMERS' MOVEMENTS

The E. & A. s.s. St. Albans

Moji for this port on March 28, p.m., and is due here on April 2, a.m.

The B.I. s.s. Talamba left Chinwangtao for this port on March 25, p.m., and was due here on March 31, a.m.

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RAJPUTANA	16,508	28th Apr.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BELTANA	9,005	3rd May	Marseilles & London.
KASHGAR	9,005	10th May	Marseilles, London, Hull, Rotterdam & Antwerp.
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KHAYBER	9,114	4th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
*BELTANA	9,005	6th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
NELLORE	6,853	8th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
KASHGAR	9,005	11th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
*KIDDERPORE	5,284	18th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
TAKIWA	7,939	18th Apr.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
MANTUA	10,949	25th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
TILWA	10,000	28th Apr.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
KHIVA	9,135	8th May	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
*LAHORE	5,304	10th May	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
RANPURA	16,001	23rd May	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.

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## FIRE ON STEAMER.

Spectacular Scene Off Wanchai

## BRIGADE'S STIFF FIGHT

The Norwegian steamer s.s. Stoviken (Captain G. B. Onarban) which left Calcutta on March 13 for Hong Kong and arrived here on Saturday at 9 a.m., was involved in a spectacular fire in the afternoon.

The Stoviken was moored to the B51 buoy, off Wanchai, when the fire broke out at 1 p.m. in No. 3 coal bunker, due to spontaneous combustion. Soon the flames had assumed a strong hold and burned fiercely, columns of smoke issuing from the ship within a few minutes.

Whilst the alarm was being given, both by flag signals and on the ship's siren, the Officers and crew pluckily tackled the flames with the ship's fire-fighting apparatus, but these proved inadequate for a fire of such a nature and did not seem to make any impression on the flames.

The Fire Brigade, under Superintendent H. T. Brooks, answered the fire call immediately, and the No. 1 Fireboat was alongside the Stoviken within a few minutes. Then followed a stiff fight with the flames, which burned for about two hours and a half before they were brought under control, and it was almost 4 p.m. before the Fireboat was withdrawn.

## Naval Assistance

In addition to the Fireboat, a party of Naval men and also local tugs belonging to the Dock Company went to the assistance of the Stoviken and rendered valuable service. Inspector Ogg and a detachment of the Water Police were also early alongside on a Police launch, and were responsible for a good deal of salvage work.

Although the fire was fierce it only burned the ship's coal, most of which was consumed, whilst the remainder was under water, the bunker having to be flooded before the flames were finally extinguished. There were 3,200 tons of coal in No. 3 coal bunker and 200 tons in No. 2. The extent of the damage has not yet been ascertained but the coal in No. 2 hold was thoroughly wet. The flooding of the bunker had the effect of giving the ship a slight list, and after the fire had been extinguished it took some time to pump the water out.

Other parts of the ship escaped damage, except places near the bunkers, where the water caused a certain amount of damage.

## Smouldering at Sea?

It is reported that the coal began smouldering whilst the ship was at sea, on March 25. Efforts were made to suppress an outbreak of fire, but the smouldering still continued and eventually took flame on Saturday, luckily, after the ship had made port.

The agents of the Stoviken are Messrs. Wallen & Co., of Prince's Building.

## HONG KONG TIDE

The tide-table given below has been obtained by aid of the Tide-predicting Machine, which includes 40 components for the better prediction of tides, from the results of the analysis of the tidal observations, taken at the Kowloon tidal observatory under the direction of Dr. Doherty during the years 1887, 1888 and 1889.

The times and heights are given for Kowloon, but they may be used for the Victoria Naval Yard and Aberdeen, the differences being very small.

The times of high and low-water must not be considered to coincide with the times of slack-water and change of current, the two phenomena being quite distinct.

March 31 to April 6, 1930.

Date	High Water	Low Water
Standard Times	Standard Times	Standard Times
Mon. 31	10 59	5 9
Tues. 1	10 47	5 3
Wed. 2	11 8	5 7
Thurs. 3	11 13	5 1
Fri. 4	11 23	5 7
Sat. 5	11 38	5 3
Sun. 6	11 50	5 1

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T'au via S'ow & S'hai	HANGSANG	Wed. 9th Apr. at 7 a.m.
T'au via S'ow & S'hai	YATSHING	Sun. 13th Apr. at 7 a.m.
Spore, Penang & Calcutta	KUMSANG	Tues. 1st Apr. at 3 p.m.
Spore, Penang & Calcutta	HOSANG	Fri. 2nd May at 3 p.m.
Osaka via Amoy, Moji & Kobe	NAMSANG	Tues. 8th Apr. at 7 a.m.
Osaka via Amoy, Shanghai, Moji & Kobe	KUTSANG	Fri. 18th Apr. at 7 a.m.
Osaka via Amoy, Shanghai, Moji & Kobe	SUISANG	Fri. 25th Apr. at 7 a.m.
Sandakan	HINSANG	Wed. 2nd Apr. at Noon
Sandakan	MAUSANG	Thurs. 17th Apr. at 3 p.m.
T'ain via S'ow & Foochow	CHIPSANG	Tues. 8th Apr. at 7 a.m.
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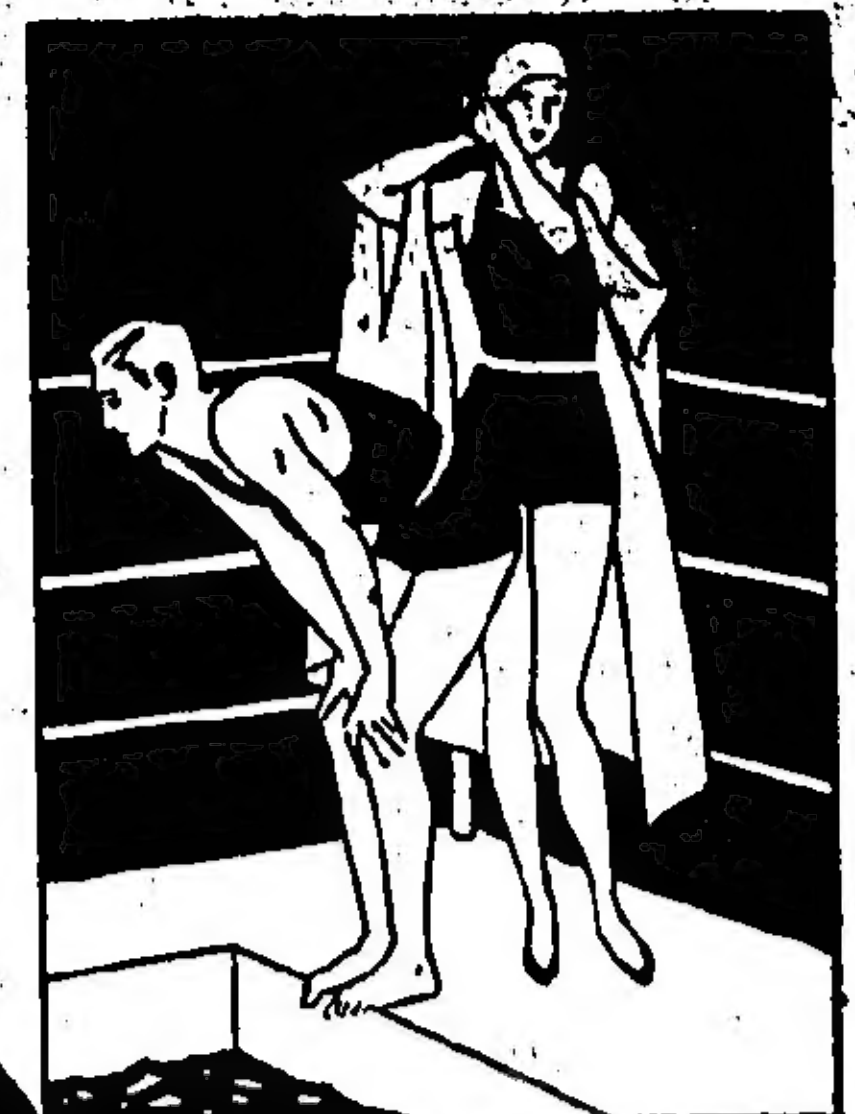
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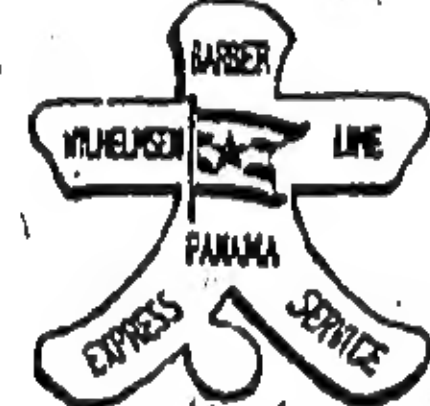
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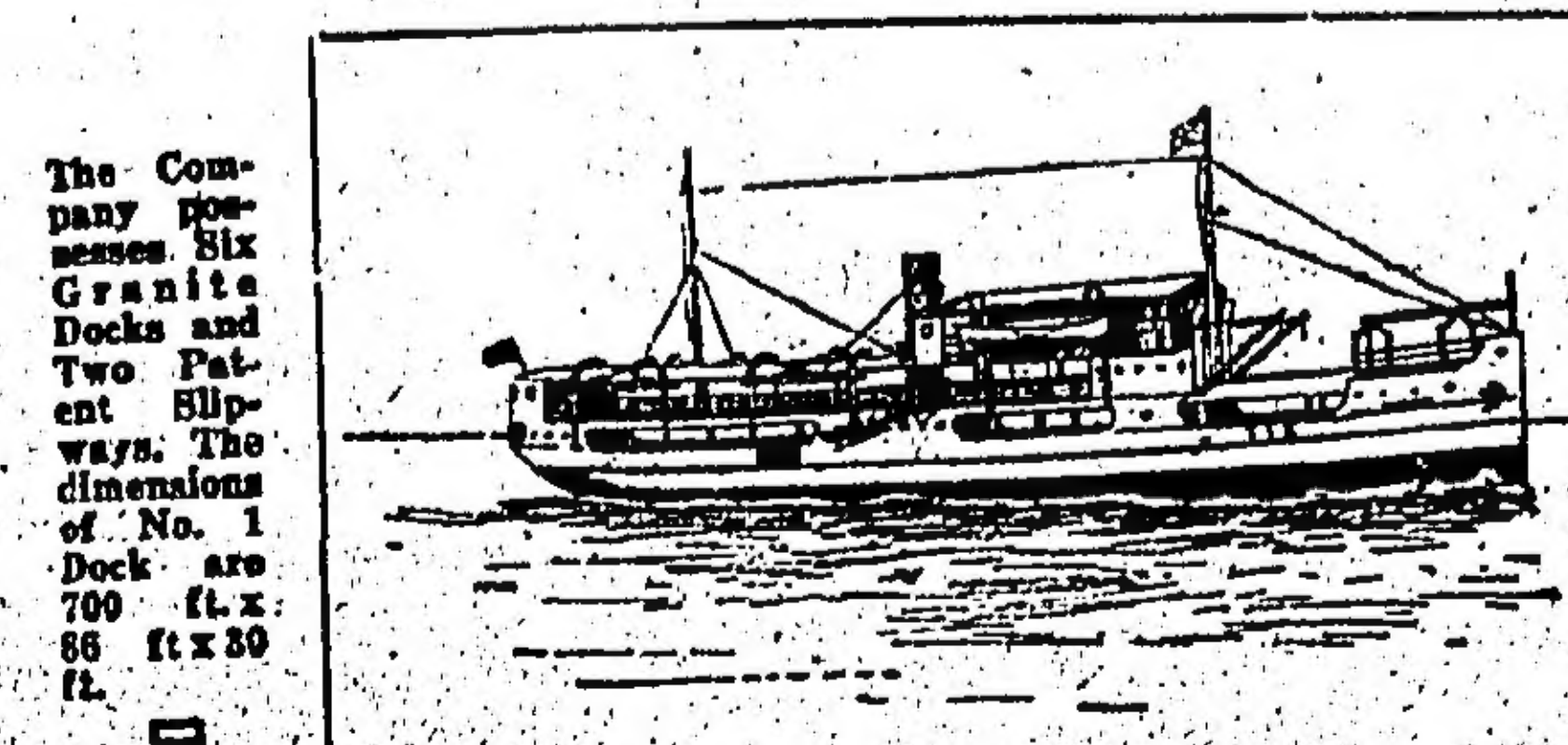
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"Glorious Hong Kong." This apt description was used by the Bishop of London in bidding farewell to the Colony recently. And as he was more a missioner than a tourist in the ordinarily accepted sense of the word his impression of Hong Kong must be taken as it stands without any idea of comparison with other places in the itinerary of the pleasure-seeking globe trotter. But "glorious Hong Kong" can never mean anything to the visitor by liner who comes ashore merely to "stretch his legs" and to "see what there is to see" without any preconceived notions of arranging a systematic programme within the limited time at his disposal.

"Call at Cook's." Yes; that may sound like a way out. And if not Cook's then at the Hong Kong Hotel's Tourist Bureau, or the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's agency or the American Express Company. But—and there is always a "but" for the tourist in a strange land—great as is the work that these concerns do on behalf of the tourist, if each and every individual on a liner containing hundreds of passengers all resolved on the same course of action on landing in Hong Kong they would assuredly crowd out the enquiry offices of the afore-mentioned concerns. True; these prepare for tourist liners and arrange schedules of tours and time tables—some dividing the visitors into several personally conducted parties—but why should that information not be at the disposal of the tourist beforehand? That is the intention of the present "Tourist Supplement" to the China Mail.

A Word About Hong Kong  
Of books and other literature on Hong Kong there is a plethora. Even to attempt to condense that

information here might be wearisome to some, although welcome to others. There must be a happy mean. Statistics need not necessarily be dry-as-dust. Much depends on the manner of their presentation and their ability to grip the interest of the reader.

Every school boy knows that Hong Kong is a British Colony lying off the south-east coast of China at the estuary of the Chu-kiang River (commonly called the Canton River). The Colony is not confined to the Island; it includes a small portion of the mainland on the Peninsula of Kowloon and the New Territories. The capital of the Colony is called Victoria, and the extreme length of the Island is eleven miles and the breadth two

comer. The Island is separated from the mainland by a narrow strait, which makes an excellent harbour the approaches to which from the ocean are dotted with green-capped islets that rival in beauty even the great harbour of Sydney. And even that beauty is eclipsed by the scenery on the Island itself and on the mainland.

The possibilities of sight-seeing on the part of the visitor are always, of course, circumscribed by the brevity of his stay in the port. With only a day at one's disposal the most must be made of the time so as to take in even in a fleeting manner as much as possible of the local sights. When a stay of two or even three days is made, then, naturally the visitor can pick and choose what he would like to see and to omit that which may not particularly appeal to him. As one man's meat may be another man's poison, so one type of scenery or one place of interest may draw a crowd and still leave others cold and impressionless. But no tourist can afford to leave out the ascent of the Peak, undertaking the journey by motor car to the Peak Hotel, thence by sedan chair to the Signal Station and returning by chair to the Hotel and making the descent by tram car.

Three Tours

Many suitable trips on the Island and in the New Territories could be suggested to the tourist here for a day or so. The following three are all easily accessible and have been drawn up so as to give the visitor a fair indication of the beauties of the Colony.

Tour 1

The party should start at about 11.45 a.m. by motor car from the centre of the town and proceed past the Lower Tram Station to Government House, the Dairy Farm, and Upper Road to Repulse Bay. (Continued on page 2.)

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Tiffin at Repulse Bay Hotel, about noon.  
Leaving Repulse Bay at 2 p.m. and proceeding round the Island via Quarry Bay and Happy Valley arriving back in town about 2.45 p.m. Distance covered about thirty miles.**Tour 2**

Commencing from centre of town, via Lower Peak Tram Station and as above to Repulse Bay, thence the Peak Hotel via Stubbs-road. Finishing with auto at the Peak Hotel.

From the Peak Hotel the ascent by chair to the Flag Staff should not be missed. Descent to the City may be made by the Peak Tramway. Chair and Tram fares are not included in the above fares.

**Tour 3**

Distance sixty miles; Time 8 1/2 hours. Commencing at Kowloon Ferry via Castle Peak, Fanling, Golf Course, Tai Po and Shatin, finishing at Kowloon Ferry.

**Round the Island**

What has been well described as one of the most magnificent drives in the world is that by motor car round the Island. The route followed is from Queen's-road, past Government House and the Botanic Gardens, along Caine-road, Bon-

ham-road, past the University of Hong Kong, along Pokfulam-road, Aberdeen-road, and Repulse Bay, where a stop can be had for refreshments or the more enjoyable tiffin. Leaving Repulse Bay Hotel the journey is proceeded with to Stanley Bay, Tyntamuk Reservoir, and Sai Wan Gap and thence to Shaokwan. Within a short time Tai Koo Dock is reached, and from there it is a very short drive back to the original point of departure. The entire drive covers a distance of 26 miles, but the scenery en route cannot adequately be described in mere prose. It has to be seen to be appreciated as it deserves. Next to the ascent and descent of the Peak it is a trip that no tourist should omit from his programme of sight-seeing.

**Other Places of Interest**

Apart from motor launches that take the visitor to Stonecutters' Island and numerous inlets, abounding in most beautiful scenery, there is much to entertain, amuse and instruct without resort to vehicles. The Chinese curios shops and Indian stores cannot well be passed over by those in search of novelty or for a souvenir of their visit to this enchanted Isle. There is "China Town," teeming with thousands of Chinese living in narrow streets where one can almost stretch hands across the "thoroughfare," and where glimpses may be had of typical Chinese life in all its varied phases.

A good combination is a bus or

motor car drive to Aberdeen and a tour through the Chinese fishing village. If time permits there is also a quaint little hamlet, Ap-pichau, which can be reached in a few minutes by sampan. The return journey from Aberdeen can be made by launch, in which case the scenery fringing the harbour approaches will be found very refreshing after the spell through the Chinese quarters of Aberdeen and Ap-pichau.

For the individual who cares not for the joys of motoring a casual walk through the heart of the city will reveal much of interest in the way of public buildings and statues, including—although some way out—the University of Hong Kong. There are taxicabs and jinrikishas, not to mention sedan chairs, but in the case of the two latter the legal fare should always be ascertained beforehand as otherwise the "stranger within the gates" may find himself the victim of profiteering.

**Chale and Jinrikisha Fares**

For chairs the tariff is—two bearers—15 cents for the first ten minutes; 20 cents for a quarter of an hour; 30 cents for half an hour; 40 cents for one hour; and 25 cents for every subsequent hour. For four bearers the fares are exactly double, with the exception that every subsequent hour after the first is charged 40 cents.

Jinrikisha charges are: 10 cents for 10 minutes; 20 cents for a quarter of an hour, 30 cents for half an hour; and 40 cents for an hour.

**Kowloon and New Territories**  
A reference to Kowloon has already been made in the third of the suggested tours—namely, to Castle Peak, Fanling, Tai Po and Shatin.

A good afternoon's outing can be spent at Kowloon City, omnibuses to which run from the Star Ferry at Kowloon Point (10 cents fare from Hong Kong to Kowloon). En route a glimpse is afforded of the whole of the Kowloon Bay, with Lyemoon Pass in the distance.

Eventually the granite wall of the old city of Kowloon will be reached, containing the old-time residence of the official representative of the Emperor of China.

There is also a School for the Blind, where dainty articles may be purchased.

Returning by a bus marked "Yau-mat" the tourist can alight in Jordan-road and spend an enjoyable time in King's Park, where are

laid out football, tennis, and bowls grounds for various Clubs and institutions.

As an alternative a visit may be commended to Kowloon Tong, which lies off the main bus and motor road in Kowloon, namely, Nathan Road. This is destined to be a model settlement and garden city combined, and the self-contained houses, each with a strip of garden, are a distinct change from the row upon row of flats which the vehicles pass in Nathan and other roads in Kowloon.

Lovers of lawn bowls are well catered for. Besides the rinks of the Club de Recreio at King's Park there are bowling greens at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, in Austin Road (off Nathan Road), the Kowloon Cricket Club, and the Kowloon Dock. Tennis can be had at many Club courts at King's Park, at the United Services Club (opposite King's Park), the Kowloon Cricket Club, and the Kowloon Bowling Green Club. Football is played at King's Park and on the ground of the Kowloon Football Club, facing the harbour in Chatham Road. Cricket is provided at King's Park and at the Kowloon Cricket Club.

**Sport in Hong Kong**

On the Island there is no end to the variety of outdoor sport to be indulged in or watched, the principal ground being at Happy Valley, which can be reached in a very short time by tramcar, taxicab, or motor car, not to mention the slower jinrikisha if time is no object. There is a fine Racecourse, where races are held at various periods from the middle of February to the beginning of December. Of other sports to be had at

Happy Valley, there are football ("Soccer" and Rugby codes), cricket, baseball, and tennis. The "home" of local cricket is the Hong Kong Cricket Club opposite Murray Barracks in Queen's Road. It is on this ground that interport matches are played, teams coming once in two years from Shanghai and less frequently from Malaya.

**Where to Dine or Stay**

For the tourist cooped up at sea for days on end there are many facilities for lunch (or tiffin) and dinner, including the Hong Kong Hotel in Pedder Street; Lane Crawford's Restaurant, in Des Voeux Road (along which the tramcars run); also the Kowloon Hotel and the Peninsula Hotel in Kowloon (a few minutes' drive from the Ferry in a jinrikisha).

In Des Voeux Road and other streets there are many Chinese restaurants for those who like to sample Chinese dishes.

**Miscellaneous Information**

The Radio Telegraph Office (near the Post Office) is open day and night for the transmission and reception of radio messages and for reporting vessels entering the harbour. The charge to most vessels is 30 cents per word with a minimum charge of \$3.

There are branches of the Eastern Extension, Telegraph Company and the Northern Telegraph Company in Connaught Road (facing the water front and just beyond the Hong Kong Club). These are open day and night for the transmission of cablegrams to any part of the world.

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Keep to my instructions.

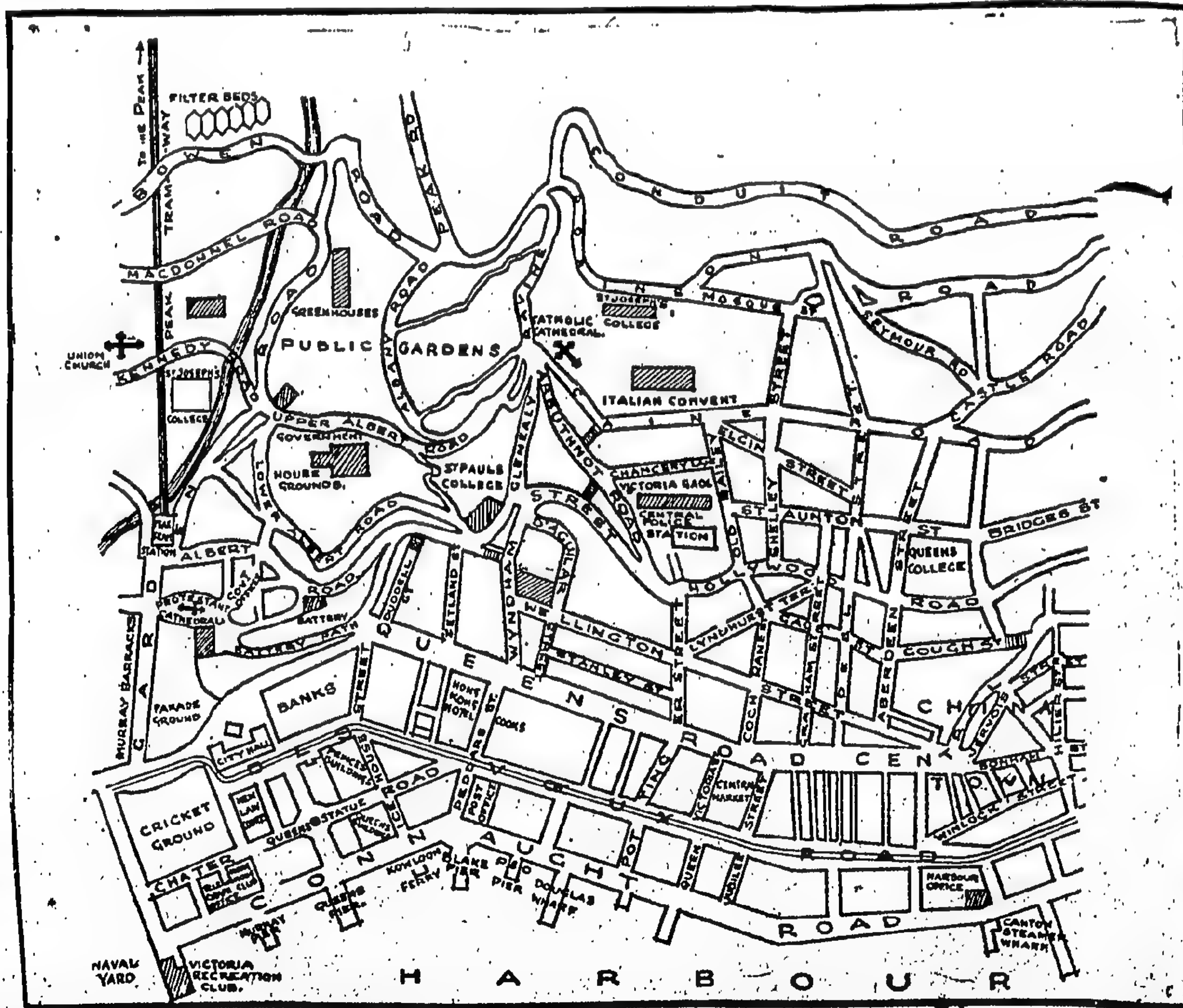
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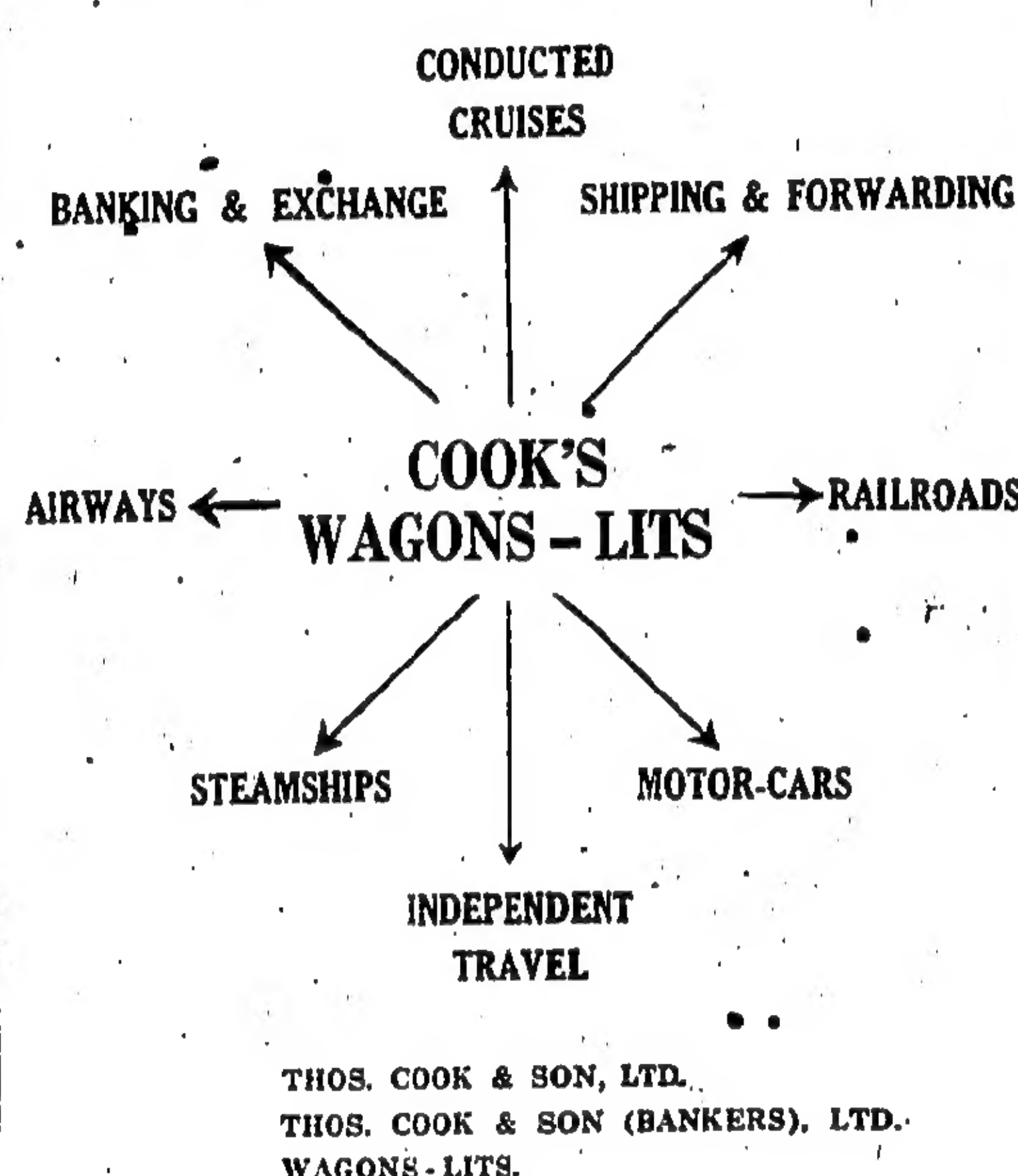
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## HONG KONG

### Facts About The Colony

Hong Kong is an island about 10 miles long and from 2 to 6½ miles broad, with a total area of 32 square miles; it lies close to the mainland, being separated at one point by a narrow strait (Lyemoo) not more than a quarter-mile wide, and was first occupied by Great Britain in January, 1841, and was formally ceded by the Treaty of Nanking in 1842; British Kowloon was subsequently acquired by the Peking Convention of 1860; and the New Territories, being a peninsula in the southern part of the Kwangtung province, by a lease signed June 9, 1898. The whole colony comprises an area of about 891 square miles, with a population (1921) of 662,200 (1925, est. 874,420). The non-Chinese residents, excluding naval and military, numbered about 15,200 (1925, est. 15,500).

#### A Free Port

The capital of the colony is Victoria, which lies along the northern shore of the island, facing the mainland; and between the mainland and the city is the harbour, which is one of the finest in the world, with a water area of some 10 square miles. With the exception of liquor and tobacco the port is free, and is fortified by 23 batteries, excellent look-out, capable of holding the largest vessels for the purpose of repairs. There is a considerable ship-repairing and construction industry, shipbuilding, and the manufacture of various goods, including iron, steel, and tin.

Government. A light railway runs through the fertile valleys of the north-east portion of the New Territories from Fanling to Sha-tau-kok, a distance of 7 miles. Good roads connect the principal districts with the railway.

#### Climate

The island is broken, in shape and mountainous, the highest point being Victoria Peak, which is about 1,820 feet high. The Peak District is a favourite place of residence, and is reserved for Europeans. The new Territories contain peaks from 1,800 to 3,000 feet. The hot season lasts from May to October. During the winter months, from November to March, the climate is cooler, drier, and more invigorating. The average daily maximum temperature ranges from 87 degrees in July to 63 degrees in February, and the average daily minimum temperature from 78 degrees in July to 55 degrees in February. The average annual rainfall is 64 in., of which no less than 75 per cent. falls between May and September, when the S.W. monsoon prevails.

#### Vast Trade

Hong Kong is the centre of a vast trade in many kinds of produce, chiefly camphor, coal, cottons, iron, gunnies, hides, iron and steel goods, leather, matches, oils, rice, silk, sugar, tea and tin. Much encouragement is given by the Government to education in the colony. In 1924 there were 1,079 schools, of which 60 were Government schools, and 1,019 were private. The total number of pupils was 109,380.

## TEN TIPS

### Which Tourists Should Observe

#### HELPFUL ADVICE

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**Party Registration**  
Cruise Members are respectfully requested to note the following, which will apply generally when making up parties for shore excursions:

It is realized that Cruise Members will wish, when travelling ashore, to move with friends. For this reason it is not desirable that allotments to Party A, B, or C, etc., should be made at the Cruise Office without giving members an opportunity to voice their preference for one party or another. Prior to reaching each port, shore programmes will be distributed, to study shore and party arrangements. Members should then decide with whom they would like to go sightseeing and register for the party of their choice. As the various parties are restricted in number, party allotments will be made in the order in which applications are received.

Timely notice will be given members of the date, place and hour at which each port party registration will be opened. When registration is made party allotment cards will be issued.

#### Non-Attendance at Party Registrations

Shore excursion features are identical for all parties. To many, therefore, it will be a matter of indifference with which party they move. Should Cruise Members not register for any party, it will be assumed by the Cruise Office that the matter of party allotment has been left in their hands and allotment will be made and party card sent to member's room.

**Shore Excursions**  
To avoid congestion and confusion and to ensure their own comfort, Cruise Members are requested to adhere to the hour shown for the movement of their party and to move only with that party.

#### Disembarkation

Members will best study their own comfort and convenience by avoiding crowding in the corridors or at the gangway. Fifteen minutes before the assembly-hour for each party, a gong will be sounded throughout the ship. Members should remain on deck or other convenient place pending such notification.

**Motor Cars**  
In filling motor cars for shore excursions, the Cruise Management work, wherever possible, on the rule of placing four persons in each seven-seated car and three persons in each five-seated car, in addition to the driver. Cruise Members constituting themselves into small party groups for motor car trips should proceed ashore promptly together to give themselves every opportunity of securing the desired space, keeping in view car loading as already stated.

It is respectfully notified that conveyances cannot be held for those arriving late, as the comfort and convenience of all must be studied by the Management.

The co-operation of Members of the Cruise is earnestly solicited by the Management, looking to the convenience, comfort and pleasure of all concerned.

#### Hotel Accommodation

When hotel accommodation ashore is included in tickets, due regard will be given, as far as practicable, to Members' requests for one hotel or another, consistent with priority of application and the amount of accommodation available, but no guarantee can be given.

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#### ADORABLE CURIO SHOPS

Hong Kong's chief attraction is its adorable curio shops. As you step out of the revolving door of the Hong Kong Hotel into the dry cold which is so stimulating to the visitor, the first object of attention is perhaps the flower market, whose wealth of colour catches the eye at once, but, as you make eagerly in the direction of Flower Street, the fascinating shop windows burst upon you in their full glory each one more entrancing than the last. The variety of articles made to tempt money from the pocket of a Scrooge is amazing and what is still more so is that in all this wealth of choice there is scarcely an un-beautiful object.

What can one buy? For the collector there is porcelain, old and new, carved ivory, Japanese and Cantonese, enamel work, lacquer, jade, paintings on silk and on rice paper, and among modern work, trifles in Chinese silver and the rather beautiful clear glass fashionable just now. The house-proud may revel in blackwood furniture, Foochow lacquer, lovely Tientsin carpets, or silk embroidered cushions, while the merely vain will sigh for necklaces of Peking crystal, jade, ivory and amber, for gorgeous Canton shawls or for delicately carved ivory toilet sets. There is something for every taste and for every purse. It is, however, emphatically a case of "Caveat Emptor" for whatever piece of porcelain the unwary visitor admires promptly becomes Ming or Sung, very cheap, \$50. Now it has to be remembered that Chinese porcelain is a life study and not to be lightly undertaken by a novice, that real Ming or Sung would cost nearer \$500 than \$50, and that experts from all over the world are commissioned by the big dealers to buy fine pieces as they come on the market. In the circumstances it is unlikely that the amateur will make any sensational bargains, and the best line to take is to select something you really like and, disregarding the fancy price asked, offer what it is worth to you. You may not get all the lovely things you covet but you will get a proportion of them. There is one shop, however, where prices are more or less fixed and one may obtain a piece of genuine Sung for \$900 or so; it contains specimens of every kind of object de vertu that China produces and is well worth a visit even from those who have no intention of buying.

#### Well Designed

Blackwood furniture will attract many. It seems marvellously cheap in Hong Kong compared with Singapore and the small pieces are easily carried back. It must be confessed that much of the modern blackwood furniture being made now is atrocious and too many drawing-rooms in Hong Kong are filled with its funeral connotations to their utter confusion, nevertheless much of it is well made, well designed and well carved and an ounce of taste on the buyer's part will procure some charming examples. Jade is another commodity over which the novice stands a good chance of being really well "done down" and would be wise to seek the help of a connoisseur before spending much money.

It is possible even in the three days allowed to go to Canton where ivory and wood-carving is carried on, and buy there, the present generalization is favourable to the Straits and the trip can be made at a very small cost, returning the following afternoon. There is much to see there but most of the really good work has been done in Hong Kong, and the time taken to see it is well worth the trouble.

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## IMPERIAL SCREEN

Presentation Screen of the Chieng Lung Dynasty Exhibited at

### MESSRS. KOMOR & KOMOR

It is a rare occasion to be able to buy a Presentation Screen as such are kept by the families with great devotion. These screens are on a wonderfully carved blackwood stand and frame is made of the celebrated Chieng Lung Lacquer ornamented with cloisonnee of the same period showing the seven coloured rock, the 3000 year old peach tree with the peaches on it, the Stag and the Bat, the seven colours on the rock denotes "Beauty," the Peaches which bloom only once in 3,000 years means "Long Life" the Stag means "Wealth and Longevity" the Bat means "Happiness."

The colours of the cloisonnee have a wonderful lustre, it seems the secret of mixing the colours of Ching Lung has been lost and



cannot be brought out again, it is possible the age has something to do with it, or that the mixing of the enamels is a lost art.

The pair of this beautiful screen are even better preserved and show the Pine Tree, the Stork, the Stag and the seven coloured rock in a most artistic arrangement.

The roof ornaments of the old temples show mostly the eight Apostles. One of them "TUNG FUNG SZO" (the apostle of longevity) is represented with a peach of life (SZEEN TAU) in his hand coming to the earth to reward all those who have been charitable and believed in him so that they may have long life and happiness. There are two figures of "TUNG FUNG SZO" exhibited at KOMOR'S which are life like and interpret the idea of the peach tree on the screen. There are also other apostles to be seen and temple roof-ornaments of all devices.

We do not know of any museum or private collection which could pride itself on anything as beautiful and rare as these two screens are, and recommend all who are interested in old Chinese art to visit Messrs. KOMOR & KOMOR'S art gallery, St. George's Building, near the landing of the Hong Kong-Kowloon ferry.

## ALL ABOUT HONG KONG

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For other useful information concerning Hong Kong the tourist may be recommended to purchase a copy of the "Dollar Directory" published at 8A, Wyndham Street. Passengers should keep in touch with Home and local affairs by purchasing the *China Mail*—the oldest newspaper in the Colony—which is published daily at 10 cents per copy; or the *Hong Kong Sunday Herald* published early on Sunday mornings.

#### Canton

The commercial Capital and most interesting City of South China, is in direct communication with Hong Kong by steamer and railway. There are daily services of steamers both directions. The journey is about 6½ to 8 hours by steamer, according to steamer and tide, and 4½ hours by train.

On arrival in Canton visitors are met by an experienced and competent guide who has conducted the principal visitors through this fascinating City for many years. The tour usually embraces Chun-ka-chi Ancestral Temples, Temples of the 500, Gen'l. City of the Dead, Kingfisher's feather, Work-Jade, Bling-jade, Picture, Painters, Flower, Pagoda, Jade Stone Street, Old Embroidery Shop, and Bat Wing Street, etc.

For the guidance of those whose time is limited, the following itinerary is given.

#### One Whole Day in Canton

Leave Hong Kong ..... 10 p.m.  
Arrive Canton ..... 7 to 8 a.m.  
Leave Canton ..... 4.30 p.m.  
Arrive Hong Kong (about) 11 to 12 p.m.

The fare provides first class travel tickets, breakfast, lunch and dinner, service of competent private Guide for sightseeing by sedan chair to City of the Dead, Flowery Pagoda, Ancestral Temple, etc.

Tours of longer duration and including passage by 8 a.m. steamer may be arranged. Fares on application.

#### Macao

A Portuguese Colony and the pioneer settlement of the Far East, being founded in 1557, it is a picturesque spot at the mouth of the Canton River, with the ruins of San Paulo, Camoes' Gardens and Grotto, and Fan-tai Gambling Saloons.

Steamers leave Hong Kong on week days at 8 a.m. and 10 p.m. Passage 4 hours. Single journey \$4 and return \$7.

There is also a special excursion to Macao every Sunday leaving Hong Kong at 8 a.m. returning at 3.30 p.m. Return fare \$1.00 and excursion \$0.50.



## SHOPS TO VISIT

### WHERE TO OBTAIN THE BEST VALUES

#### THE SILK CENTRES

##### THE BOMBAY STORE

Famous for its low prices and high quality, the Bombay Silk Store is located in D'Aguilar-street, up the slight incline from Queen's Road.

They give real excellent value in all their goods at the Bombay Store. Their stock, which is second to none in this part of the world, comprise houri coats, coolie coats, Mandarin coats, embroidered shawls and silk kimonos of very pretty workmanship and designs, and made of the best material obtainable.

Dresses are to be found here in a wide range of choice, as well as pyjamas, shirts and underwears, and if the ready-to-wear ones do not suit you, orders for made-to-measure garments will be accepted for execution within 24 hours.

The Pongee suits made to order by this store are well known for their quality of material plus good fit and stylish cut.

##### D. CHELLARAM

D. Chellaram, in Pedder Street, opposite the Hong Kong Hotel have a fine stock of beautiful Chinese shawls which are specially selected by their manager who is a specialist in this line. These shawls comprise a large variety which should satisfy the most exacting purchaser. The same applies to their exquisite Mandarin coats and skirts, the famous old style dress of China. Houri coats and Japanese kimonos are also stocked, each beautifully embroidered with elaborate designs too pretty to describe.

Silks are also to be found in these stores in great variety—the best products of Japan. China and India—both in plain colours and printed. Their brocades and crepes are also excellent materials for ladies' dresses, etc.

This Store specialises in ladies' hose and men's socks, while its tailoring department undertakes to execute orders for ladies' dresses and pyjamas, and men's shirts and collars within 12 hours, fit being guaranteed.

Other appealing goods worth examining in these stores are beautiful Egyptian tapestry and Persian rugs, as good as any obtainable anywhere else in the East.

##### KASHMIR SILK STORE

Opposite the Queen's Theatre, in Queen's Road, will be found the Kashmir Silk Store, which is also known as the "Palace of Shawls," a claim of which they are justly proud. Their wonderful display of beautiful silk shawls is dazzling and gives one a thrill of pleasure to inspect them. It is a joy to handle them and feel their fine, soft texture, and the desire to own one is irresistible.

Other fine things to be found in this shop are kimonos, houri coats, Persian coats, embroidered silk lingerie, and all qualities of silks in lengths suitable for many purposes.

##### KWONG WOO

This shop is described as a wholesale Silk Store, but one has only to enter the store to satisfy oneself that there are other attractive objects for sale. Kwong Woo is a dealer in Chinese curios and all kinds of silks, crepe shawls, embroidered linen blouses and table cloths. These silks are sold at a very reasonable price and a purchase would bring great pleasure to the recipients of such gifts. All the latest Eastern patterns in pure silk can be bought here.

The store has been in existence since 1841 and can boast of a very good reputation.

There is also a very good selection of jewellery and gold and silver ware. The jade is of a very high quality, and guaranteed to be genuine. The selection of ivory displayed should prove interesting to the visitor. In fact, the whole store is a miniature treasure island.

##### K. K. MAHTANI

Mr. Mahtani will be pleased to welcome tourists at his silk and curio store at 4, On Lan Street. Whichever you will see a fine selection of shawls, houri coats and Ladies Underwear and Ladies Dresses.

##### PIONEER SILK STORE

The Pioneer Silk Store, to give its full name, is situated on the second floor of China Building, Queen's Road.

It has a specially selected stock of hand-made, embroidered, and printed shawls, which are of the highest quality. Also have a fine selection of ladies' dresses, and a large stock of ladies' undergarments.

signs are Mandarin coats and skirts, silk embroidered kimonos, houri coats, Persian coats and happy coats, all of the very latest styles and especially selected with the greatest care to combine quality with value.

Silk scarves are to be found here in large quantities and colours to suit all tastes. Materials for dresses comprise Japanese, Chinese and Indian silks of very fine texture, brocades, crepes, etc.

At short notice, even within 24 hours, the Pioneer's tailoring department is able to take orders for ladies' silk underwear, men's shirts, pyjamas, etc. Their workmanship and fit are beyond reproach.

##### TAJMAHAL SILK STORE

This newly opened Indian Silk Store, of which Mr. S. Narain is the proprietor, is fast gaining in popularity on account of its fair dealing—giving you quality goods at reasonable prices. You will find this little shop up Flower Street, some 200 yards beyond the flower stalls, directly opposite the China Mail office.

They have a fine selection of new silks, just arrived, representing the latest in fashionable colours and designs—Fuji, brocade, georgette, spun crepe, crepe de Chine, etc. Ready-to-wear ladies' garments include crepe de Chine embroidered "undies" and pyjamas; whilst for men there are washing silk shirts, pyjamas, and neckties with handkerchiefs to match.

Other things in this store of interest to ladies are Kayser hose in all shades, exquisite shawls, kimonos, houri coats, and many fancy goods and toys which represent the latest in novelties. This store is also agents in Hong Kong for the well-known "Ohio" cream, hair and down remover.

##### FANCY GOODS

##### CHINA FANCY GOODS CO.

Hand-made Canton and Irish linen drawwork, embroideries, silk, Spanish shawls, ladies' silk undies, Mandarin coats and skirts, kimonos, ivory, cloisonne, pewter, lacquer and damascene ware, etc., are all to be seen at the China Fancy Goods Co., 33, Queen's Road Central (China Building). Once you have appreciated the exquisite workmanship on the cloth and silk wear and the craftsmanship on the hardware (ivory, etc.) you will buy—not at a loss to yourself, but as a gain for the prices are reasonable. Beautiful fantasies in the form of silken wear or ivory that you have before never thought capable of originating from the brain of man, you will see and perhaps buy. In any case it is well worth your while to pay a call to this shop. It holds limitless treasures.

##### CHINA HANDICRAFT CO.

Inspection is cordially invited by the China Handicraft Co. China Building, Queen's Road Central, of their fine display of native goods.

The Company are manufacturers and exporters of hand-made silk embroideries, which are of an exquisite beauty that is not easily surpassed.

They are also dealers in beautiful shawls of rare designs, finely carved ivory ornaments, well-made silk undies, and quality drawn-work.

Other high class goods obtainable at this store are lacquer, pewter and cloisonne wares, and last, but by no means least, Blackwood furniture of essential Chinese design beautifully carved and polished, and strongly made.

Prices here are fair and the quality of goods decidedly of the finest, and value is given for money no matter how small the article bought.

##### THE CHINESE BAZAAR

The Chinese Bazaar (Tai Cheong Co.) in China Building, Queen's Road Central, are manufacturers and exporters, both wholesale and retail, of Swatow Drawnwork, Canton silk embroidery, and fillet lace, all hand-made under expert supervision.

Swatow Drawnwork with embroideries in grass linen, all in exquisite designs, include bedspreads, Pillow cases or shams, table cloths, tea-cosy covers, table centrepieces, sideboard covers, dressing covers, cushion covers, doilies, ladies' lawn night-gowns and undies.

##### CHUNG WAH DRAWNWORK CO.

The Chung Wah Drawnwork Co. of No. 36 Queen's Road Central (2nd floor) are general wholesalers of Swatow hand-made Drawnwork, and also have a large stock of ladies' dresses, and a large stock of ladies' undergarments.

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SILK UNDERWEAR, HAND-MADE LACES, LACQUER WARE,  
AND our usual great assortment of SWATOW DRAWN WORK.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

## SWATOW LACE CO., LTD.

NEW STORE: 16, PEDDER STREET,  
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#### EAST ASIATIC TRADING CO.

The East Asiatic Company has its store in the Asiatic Building with entrance at the corner of Flower Street and Queen's Road, and is just across the road from the Hong Kong Hotel.

Amongst the great variety of goods stocked in this store are very pretty Canton shawls, Swatow drawnwork, ivory ware including a very fine pair of delicately carved tusks, lacquer ware, cigarette boxes, vases, tea tables and other useful articles, blackwood lamp shades with prettily painted silk sides, amber beads, handbags of fancy design, Peking actor dolls, powder ware, Mandarin hats and coats, only to mention a few of the dainties.

A few minutes of exploration in this "house of good things" is bound to bring to light very desirable remembrances of the trip out East.

#### FOOK WENG & CO.

If you look around this well-known Swatow shop in China Building, Queen's Road Central, for Oriental goods, your eyes will be richly feasted with its nicely embroidered Canton shawls of fascinating colours and up-to-date designs, together with a rich assortment of well-chosen Houri coats, kimonos, pyjamas, cape shawls, scarves and underwear.

Carved ivory and lacquer; cloisonne, Nanking brocade tapestries, table cloths, cushion covers, wall panels (of expert workmanship) are also to be found here.

What makes this shop popular is the fine selection of Swatow drawn thread work: both linen and grass cloth bed spreads, luncheon sets, tea sets, tray cloths, towels, and napkins.

The real good old embroideries made into hand bags, writing pads, table cloths, tray cloths are also found here.

The antique Chinese porcelain vases, jars, screens, blackwood furniture, and some rare pieces of curios will surely delight every visitor.

And last, but not least is a rare selection of all kinds of ladies' necklaces: crystal, agate, ivory, jade, and Peking glass with nice pendants.

Take a good look in this shop—you will surely pick up something that will be suitable for gifts for the folks at home. The quality of the goods is high, the service is cordial, and the prices low enough to suit every pocket.

#### SWATOW DRAWN WORK CO.

For wonderful Chinese hand-work and novelties go to the Swatow Drawn Work Co., No. 14, Pedder Street, between Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., and the office of the Dollar Steamship Line.

The Swatow Drawn Work Co. have always in stock a large variety of hand-drawn thread and embroidered work in both silk and linen, which is turned out by experts in the art under careful supervision.

#### SWATOW EMB'D CO.

Swatow Emb'd. Co. of 36 Queen's Road Central 1st floor are wholesale dealers in hand embroidered linen goods, a call will be well worth while.

#### SWATOW LACE CO., LTD.

This shop, which is situated in Pedder Street, extends a welcome to all tourists to inspect the excellent stock. It specialises in Chinese fancy goods in wonderful variety, including Canton shawls, Mandarin coats, art embroideries, hand-made lace, kimonos, slippers, drawn-works and houri coats of very novel designs and fine workmanship.

Pretty lacquer-ware, ivory-ware and jade trees of exquisitely delicate workmanship, are also stocked. Everything is reasonably priced and represents value for money.

#### SWATOW TRADING CO.

The Swatow Trading Company, in Pedder Street, is well worth a visit. They specialise in Swatow Drawnwork which is most appealing and very moderately priced.

Their art embroideries and laces are also of very high quality, whilst in the matter of silk shawls, the Swatow Trading Company have some beauties in stock which are real eye-openers. The stitching is of the popular "short" variety and the embroideries of chic designs and dainty colouring.

## LOCK HING

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## JEWELS AND CURIOS

#### CHUI YUEN

The difference between feasting one's eyes upon the Crown jewels in the Tower of London and upon those jewels in 39A, Queen's Road Central, is that in the case of the former one pays for the privilege, and in the case of the latter one is cordially invited to do so.

At this store one can have a glimpse of all the jewels of the East laid out in the most impressive manner. When visiting Hong Kong, no one should fail to examine the display of jewellery consisting of jade, pearls, a gates, crystal, Coral, old ivory, cornelian, cloisonne, lapis lazuli, arquesises, some, amber beads, and all manner of stores.

The repair of all jewellery, at a moderate cost, is undertaken; and work will be completed even at six hours' notice.

#### KOMOR'S

(Komor & Komor)  
A visit to Komor & Komor's Art gallery is recommended to all visitors to Hong Kong. The establishment is under the management of Mr. Komor, an authority on Chinese and Japanese art, who

joined the firm (Kuhn & Komor) forty years ago and whose collection is a household word under curio collectors.

The collection on exhibition is the finest in the Far East. You find articles there for prices ranging from one dollar up to thousands of dollars. Every article is marked in plain figures and visitors are always received with courtesy whether they buy or not. Their packing and shipping department guarantees that everything sent by them must arrive at any part of the world in perfect order.

Komor's art gallery is situated near the Hong Kong ferry corner of Chater Road and the fine window display draws all day and night big crowds of sight-seers. This firm, established since 1867, is one of the oldest in Hong Kong.

A jade screen in fine carving, supposed to be of the Ming dynasty, in very fine wood and gold mounting, will be the envy of many visitors who collect works of art. The wonderful silk lacquered Foo-chow screen will surely be admired by all visitors, and the unique collection of cloisonne and ivory work is worth the visit to this well known establishment.

#### LOONG SHING

Loong Shing, jewellers of repute whose premises are at No. 48, Queen's Road Central have a collection of genuine Jade jewellery which is difficult to beat.

The word "genuine" is used emphatically where Loong Shing is concerned. The stress is necessary because of the presence of imitation jades on the market, and one cannot be too careful when purchasing Jades.

The colour of the false stones is so attractive that not only foreigners but Chinese also, are often "taken in" by the fakes. It is therefore wise to deal only with reliable shops.

There is no doubt as to the reliability of Loong Shing, as one of the oldest jewellers' establishment at present in existence in Hong Kong. This shop came into being in 1864 and during a period of over 60 years in business it has gained a reputation not only for reliability but also for fair dealing. All their fine jade jewellery—and there is a fine range to choose from—are offered at prices which are surprisingly reasonable.

Go to Loong Shing if it's jade that you are after.

#### LOCK HING

Here is another of Hong Kong's long established and reliable Chinese firm who have specialised in dealing in Chinese curios since 1870. Some of the pieces to be found in this shop cannot be duplicated. Everything is absolutely genuine, and, best of all, the prices are competitive.

Lock Hing's also deal in fine Shanghai and Canton silks, grass cloths, embroideries, crepes, chic shawls, and ivory, bronze, lacquered, cloisonne ware, porcelain and ornaments of gold and silver, and the work of master craftsmen. Gold and silver jewellery can also be made to order.

They are also manufacturers of Blackwood furniture both inlaid and carved chairs, tables and stands, all well made and beautifully finished. The shop is at No. 33, Queen's Road Central.

## SHOPS TO VISIT

### WHERE TO OBTAIN THE BEST VALUES

#### WAI KEE

Mr. Wai Kee has been in the curio trade at the Queen's Road corner of the Hong Kong Hotel for upwards of forty years remembering globe-trotters who revisit Hong Kong after long intervals. He is an expert on things Chinese and has an excellent variety of jade, precious stones, antiques, etc.

#### WANG HING

For gold and silver ware of Chinese design and workmanship, visit Wang Hing's shop. This long standing firm of jewellers have premises at No. 10, Queen's Road Central, very near to the Hong Kong Hotel. They have a reputation amongst foreign residents for fair dealing. The jade stones obtainable here are among the best to be found in Hong Kong, absolutely flawless and of delicate hues. Everything here, from the smallest trinket to intricate silver junks, etc., are all the product of experienced Chinese craftsmen.

Wang Hing's prices are competitive whilst the goods are above average quality.

#### JADE STORE

##### THE CHINA JADE CO.

The most reliable dealers in jade are The China Jade Company, whose shop is in China Building, Queen's Road Central.

At this store necklaces of pure jade in many different styles can be purchased at very moderate prices. There is always a very good display of bracelets, bangles, pendants, the pins and cuff links. Having purchased anything at this store one can always depart with the satisfaction of knowing that the name of the China Jade Company is as good as a guarantee for the genuineness of the purchased goods.

#### WAH KEE

Situated No. 38, Queen's Road Central, Wah Kee, dealers in jewellery and ivory offer the tourist a very wide range of choice. Ladies desiring jade necklaces, pendants, or bracelets need only take a look to realize the Oriental artistry in these adornments.

Gentlemen can buy at a very reasonable price. Tie pins or cuffs which would fetch a very high price in the Occident. No visitor to Hong Kong should miss the opportunity of seeing genuine jade made up in such an attractive style.

There are numbers of exquisitely carved ivory balls. One inside the other, some have as many as thirty or forty inside one another. These novelties are well worth buying as mementoes of the East. Ivory carved chess sets can also be purchased at an extraordinarily low cost.

There is no doubt that a visit to Wah Kee's would be very attractive and very productive.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

##### EXCELSIOR BOOK STORE

The Excelsior Book Store, with branches in D'Aguilar-street, off Queen's Road Central, at the Hong Kong Hotel, and in the Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon, is one of Hong Kong's leading news agents and book sellers. It has in stock a fine range of best sellers by both British and American authors, and receive by every mail from the United Kingdom and the States all the leading periodicals, journals, and magazines which appeal to all tastes.

For reading matter on board ship during the voyage go to the Excelsior Store for your needs.

#### HIP SON & COMPANY

Fancy oiled paper and cloth parasols can be bought at 37, Queen's Road Central at very little expense. The oiled parasol is a recent invention of the Hip Son and Company, and would prove great attraction in the Homelands.

The engraving on the brass ware for purchase is done entirely by hand and shows the skill of the Chinese craftsman. The carved wooden figures representing important personages in Chinese history, are beautifully finished off, and there is no doubt that people in the west would prize gifts of this nature.

The Shen Shiao An' Lang Kee gold lacquerware are well worth buying, and these, though going through a very elaborate process are sold at a ridiculously cheap price. The company has been awarded many high quality medals for its products.

#### HONG KONG HOTEL

During your short sojourn here, you will find that the Hong Kong Hotel and the Peninsula Hotel are the best and most aristocratic places to make your temporary headquarters.

The Hong Kong Hotel is situated in the heart of the city. Always well equipped with the most courteous staff of guides, you will be enabled to do your shopping without being "taken in" by any unscrupulous native shop-keepers.

On the other side of the harbour is the Peninsula Hotel, run by the same company. There you will find the same courtesy and service.

#### TABAQUERIA FILIPINA

The Tabaqueria Filipina, the noted smokers' suppliers, is situated in the Asiatic Building opposite the Hong Kong Hotel.

In this excellently fitted emporium, you are assured fair prices, fresh stock, fine quality and faithful service, which has been their jealously guarded motto ever since they opened shop in Hong Kong.

The stocks of smokers' requisites carried in this store are large and varied. They have all the best known brands of American tobaccos, and cigarettes in stock, and they are also famous for the lines of Manila cigars which they carry.

Pipes of the best makes in sets and singly are to be found in a large variety to choose from. Other requisites are cigar cutters, tobacco pouches, cigar and cigarette cases, patent lighters, fancy ash trays, cigar and cigarette boxes, and every thing imaginable in the tobaccoist's line. All goods are of the best qualities obtainable and priced to suit everyone.

#### YUE SHING

If you have a book which had undergone some wear and tear during your trip, let Yue Shing, 47, Queen's Road Central re-bind it for you. This well-known and reliable Chinese firm, which has been in existence in Hong Kong since 1884, can do high class work accurately and neatly. They also supply quality stationery and writing requisites worthy of you. Before sailing be sure you have everything with which to write that letter home, about your travels.

## WORKS OF ART

Hong Kong is the best place in the Far East for picking up good specimens of Native Culture-Craft in endless variety, which comes under the head of Art and Curios. Of course the difficulty lies in not knowing anything about such treasures, for which ten times their value may be asked, or even more. "Kienlung" Vase About 1750

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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

**"New York Night" for  
the Queen's.**

## WILD PARTY SCENES.

A veritable blaze of colour modernistic designs in furniture and drapes, triangular rugs, and cubistic fish feature the wild party scenes of United Artists' "New York Nights," Norma Talmadge's first talking and musical picture venture, opening its run at the Queen's Theatre on Wednesday.

To make this a truly modern set, no small or large item was allowed to be out of character. A cubistic piano, with legs that rise from small points to flat planes a foot wide and coloured in red and black is one of the unusual touches.

Another is the rug which has geometric designs in brilliant hues and is triangular in shape. The wall paper is in large pastelled squares of sympathetic colours.

William Cameron Menzies, art director for United Artists, designed this unusual set, one of the most spectacular of its kind ever constructed for talking pictures.

The story is a virile and humorous account of the trials and tribulations of the song-writing and chorus-girl fraternity along New York's Tin Pan Alley.

Under Lewis Milestone's direction, the spice of Broadway's picturesque colloquialisms was caught.

**"SHOW PEOPLE."**

Studio life, its pleasures and its work in Hollywood, where Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, First National, Paramount, and United Artists' Studios are situated, is brought to the screen by King Vidor, in "Show People," which is being screened at

The famous comedian, and comedienne, William Haines and Marlon Davies, take the Chief roles. In this interesting film one is given glimpses of John Gilbert, Douglas Fairbanks, Lew Cody, Charles Chaplin, Karl Dane and George K. Arthur. Norma Talhadge and Norma Shearer are amongst numerous other extras.

**"NOW WE'RE IN THE AIR"**

Two Americans disguised as Scotch Highlanders enlist as aviators at a French airport, and are sentenced to death as German spies.

Only Wallace Beery and Raymond Hatton could appear to advantage in such a ridiculous situation. And they do so in "Now

ere in the Air' the new Paramount comedy which had its first local showing at the Majestic Theatre, Kowloon, last night.

Here is a comedy that has everything — good photography, good direction, capable stars, and, most remarkable, a good story. The plot anomaly may be laid at the door of Monte Brice, Keene Thompson, and Tom J. Gerraghty. Frank Crayer directed the picture.

It is a good thing for the Majestic  
that the laughs in this non-  
opera are so evenly spaced,  
with possible serious con-  
sequences to the patrons, would be  
result if they were not. Beery  
and Hutton have done the impos-  
ible and topped all their previous  
efforts, "Behind the Front," and  
"We're in the Navy Now," and  
"Dramen Save My Child."

Beery and Hutton became avail-  
able when their clothes were blown  
in front of a battery of aero-  
plane propellers on the testing  
stands at a flying field.

They fall in love with twin sisters, one of whom has been raised in Germany and the other in France. Many of their difficulties arise over their inability to tell their sweethearts apart, which is surprising when it is considered that the same Louise Brooks plays both parts capably and charmingly. The "saga" are new and frequent

throughout the picture and will see Beery and Hatton to a still higher plane as laugh purveyors. They have splendid support in the cast, which includes Malcolm Keate, as the German spy, Duke Martin as the top sergeant, hardened as usual, Emile Chautard, Russell Simpson.

Now We're in the Air' is good for a laugh in any language.

**CITY OF SYDNEY.**  
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to fly to England. They reached  
Newcastle Water yesterday  
and were to have crossed the  
water to their proposed trip  
but were prevented in their plans  
by a heavy gale.

**N<sup>O</sup>. S. 117.**—IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that SEALED TENDERS in Triplicate, which should be clearly marked "TENDER FOR QUARRY," will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office until Noon of MONDAY, the 14th day of April, 1930, for the occupation for a period ending 31st December, 1931, from the date of notification of acceptance of tender, of any or either of the pieces or parcel of ground referred to in the schedule hereunder, shown coloured red on plan, signed by the Director of Public Works and dated 7th March, 1930, but subject to certain conditions which can be ascertained at the office of the Director of Public Works.

Form of tender and further particulars can be obtained from the office of the Director of Public Works.

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owloon Quarry No. 2.	Shek Shan	3.13	\$3,500.	\$350
owloon Quarry No. 4.	Ma Tau Kok	1.00	\$ 900.	\$100.
owloon Quarry No. 5.	Ma Tau Kok	1.27	\$ 900.	\$100.
owloon Quarry No. 6.	Hok Un	.46	\$ 100.	\$100.
ew Kowloon Quarry No. 1.	Kowloon Lane	.92	\$ 280.	\$180.

28th March 1990

HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

**THE THIRD EXTRA RACE**  
MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley on SATURDAY, 5th April, 1930, commencing at 2 p.m.  
The first bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

**MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE**  
Members are notified that they and their ladies must wear their badges prominently displayed.  
No one without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

Badges admitting non-members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5 for Gentlemen and \$2 for Ladies, are obtainable through the Secretary upon introduction by a member, such member to be responsible for payment of all chits, &c.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosures will not be on sale at the Race Course.

Members can obtain upon ap-

On no pretext will children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

**PUBLIC ENCLOSURE**  
The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1 for all persons including ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted half price.  
Bookmakers, Tic Tac men, &c. will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club during the

By Order,  
C. B. BROWN,  
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Hong Kong, 31st March 1930

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## THE CANTONESE THEATRE

[BY GEORGE KIN LEUNG]

In Canton and Hong Kong, centres of the Yueh hsi, or southern drama, the mercurial population demands a new play each week; and the wise manager makes every effort to satisfy that demand. This leads to many evils such as slipshod production, inappropriate costuming, etc. The low tone of the theatre, therefore, may in part at least be due to indiscriminating audiences.

### Public Craving for New

While the public may crave for the "new and strange" and while numerous imitations of stagecraft of other parts of China may abound, yet it is clear that certain established mannerisms, or conventions, persist; they are the basis of the southern music-drama. Orchestration, often dominated by gigantic, ear-splitting gongs, accompanies song, accentuates posture and lends tonal expression to emotion. But again, the realistic and the conventional frequently become so hopelessly entangled that it is often impossible to discern just where one ceases and the other begins.

Imitations and adaptations improve the box office receipts. Every possible field has been plundered for material, such as the Peking drama, Shakespeare, European historians, Ibsen, Douglas Fairbanks, the Chinese motion picture, the "talkie," etc.

### Types of Current Plays

Many Cantonese plays consist of loud gongs, comedy inclined to the slapstick, galaxies of princes and princesses, the hero masqueraded as a coy maiden, etc. All these elements find a grand assembly in The Jade Toad, which a company thought good enough to use as their first presentation after a tour.

### Peking and Shakespeare

There is at present a wholesale attempt to imitate the Peking drama and the technique of well-known northern artists. The result invariably becomes a travesty, because very few, if any, present day southern actors possess the carriage, training and ability of the actors of the north.

As for Shakespeare, his work is so completely adapted that one could not recognise it if the English title were not printed alongside the Chinese. For instance, in a version of "As You Like It," the hero wears

a black satin costume cut somewhat like that of a mediaeval page's, but his headpiece is a solid mass of rhinestones. His beloved appears in male attire, the coat being after the Ming (1668-1644) mode. Then, upon the same moonlit sylvan scenes skips a dainty maiden whose small figure is tightly buttoned in the latest fashion Shanghai can produce.

### Chinese Drama Gone West

For an actor, dressed in foreign clothes, to appear in a Chinese setting is quite a smart thing. The correctness of the style will depend on the purse and the taste of the artist.

In one very popular play, sung in modern colloquial language, foreign clothes are worn throughout. Although much of a conventional nature persists, the mind throughout the evening has been tuned up to the realistic. Imagine the mental shock received when the youthful bride of modern life is asleep and her truant husband on arriving touches her on the head. The two affectionate taps are brought to sound-life by two synchronised, resonant "baw, baw," sounds, which are produced on the wood-block! The dropping of a match is described tonally in the orchestra by a brass instrument that creates a clatter equal to the dropping of a kettle in a kitchen sink.

The heroine, who is impersonated by a man, has muscles which rival cocoanuts and delights in exhibiting them at precarious angles.

The play is a brave adventure; but it does not break away from the old method of orchestration and the standard tunes are still much in evidence, not to mention the loud brass instruments to describe the heroine's tempestuous thoughts. This only leads one to know for certainty that whatever novelty has been brought in, is merely a thin varnish placed over the old body of stage convention.

Here a fleeting glimpse only of the Cantonese play, as one finds it to-day, has been given; but it is clear that the theatre in the south has not attained the conventional excellence of that of Peking and is already stretching out eager hands for the realistic. The future alone will disclose the results. Meanwhile, let us hope for the best.—N. C. Daily News.

## CATHOLIC CONGRESS To Be Held in Africa in May

New York, Feb. 20.

The great ruined amphitheatre of ancient Carthage, North Africa hallowed by the blood of thousands of Christian martyrs, this May will be the scene of the International Eucharistic Congress, which will be attended by scores of thousands of Roman Catholic pilgrims from all lands.

Cardinal Hayes has designated the liner Araguay, of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, as the official pilgrim ship for the archdiocese of New York, and he has appointed the Right Rev. Monsignor John P. Childwick, D.D., pastor of St. Agnes' Church, as the spiritual director of the New York pilgrims.

The Rochambeau, of the France Line, has been designated by Archbishop Curley as the pilgrim ship for the archdiocese of Baltimore and as the ship for certain other dioceses by their bishops. Both vessels will sail from New York on April 23 and will remain in the port of La Goulette, near Carthage, from May 7 to 11, the four days of the congress.

The pilgrimages on the Araguay and the Rochambeau are arranged to include the "Passion Play" at Oberammergau, Bavaria, Germany, which given every ten years, will be re-enacted this summer.

### Many to Attend

Many Catholic members of the Women's Overseas Service League, which will hold its annual convention in Paris from May 25 to 30, will first attend the Eucharistic Congress.

In Carthage, where once existed one of the greatest commercial cities of its age, there now are only the stone and marble vestiges which archaeologists have uncovered, together with a small hotel, a post-office, a dozen modern houses and the buildings which have been erected by the Catholic Church, since the See of Carthage was restored by Pope XIII. in the last century after it had been vacant and commemorated only by a small monument, erected in 1820.

The programme of the congress opens with the ceremony for the elevation of the Cardinal Legate, the Primate of the West Indies, to the rank of Cardinal, and the elevation of the Primate of the West Indies, to the rank of Cardinal, and the elevation of the Primate of the West Indies, to the rank of Cardinal.

## ROUND THE SHOPS

### Preparations for Easter

#### A FINE STOCK

Easter is nigh, and the thoughts of Milady naturally turn to new dresses, and in this hot weather the material for dresses must be light, cool, comfortable, and, above all, chic. What can fill all these requirements better than volles?

Volles, one understands, will be worn by the ladies at Easter, and as usual, Whiteaways have secured a stock of the very latest in volles in good time for the Easter trade. Milady therefore will do well to inspect this stock before she makes her choice of fabric for her dress.

Volles by two well-known manufacturers are in stock at Whiteaway—Tootal's and Ferguson's. There are between fifty and sixty different up-to-date designs to choose from, and plain one-colour volles in delicate hues. The designs include floral, spotted, modernistic, futuristic, and others which a more cannot find a word to describe, unless it be "original."

Ferguson volles are of the usual bright silk finish, whilst the Tootal fabrics include "Tootisha," "Robla" and "Namrit," all, by now, familiar names. All are guaranteed to be fast, dyes which will not fade or "run." The width is 40 inches and the price, as usual with Whiteaways, represents value for money.

### SPORTING ARMS.

The Mecca for sporting requisites is a fitting designation for the Hong Kong Sporting Arms and Ammunition Store, at Beaconsfield Arcade.

A visit to the store by a China Mail representative on Saturday was an eye-opener, as the store caters for sportsmen in a wider sense than its actual name suggests.

Everything is stocked that is likely to be required by the lover of the outdoor and by the athlete. Sporting arms include a big range of shot guns, rifles, revolvers, air guns, air rifles, and ammunition of British, American, Belgian and German makes. There are also hunting knives, and complete outfits for hunters, including khaki shirts, which will stand wear, knapsacks, etc.

At the back of the store is a well appointed gun-repairing shop, under the charge of an expert gunsmith, which undertakes all sorts of repairs.

### Water Sports

For the lover of water sports there is the Lockwood outdoor motor—for which the store are agents—and swimming costumes of British and American makes, in the latest styles.

Picnickers are catered for with a complete picnic outfit, compactly contained in a neat and strong black leather case, easily carried and taking a small space to stow away. There is the Bell and Howell Movie Camera, with which picnickers, and, in fact, all sportsmen can find pleasure in taking "living" picture records of their doings.

### Radio Music

Then, too, sportsmen can have radio music with them in their outing if they take with them an "Octopus" Melody 5 portable set, a development in radio which the store is the first to introduce to Hong Kong. Working without an aerial, this set picks up the local broadcast programme perfectly, and even Canton can be heard on the set. Its range, of course, is wider if an aerial is attached. It would then be possible to pick up neighbouring stations as far as Manila.

The store, amongst its big stock of athletic goods, seems to specialise in tennis. There is a large assortment of tennis requirements from which the net enthusiast can choose.

The store also has in stock such well-known periodicals as the Field, Industry, Outdoor Life, Sportsman, and other well-known sporting publications.

## OPIUM DEN RAID

### Bull-Terriers Attack Police

The story of police officers being attacked by dogs as they raided an opium den, was told at the Thames court recently, when Lun Wan, aged 46, a Chinese of Limehouse Causeway, was charged with being in possession of opium.

Defence Inspector Lawrence said that when the police forced an entrance into the house, he refused to leave and the dogs were set upon them.

## VACCINATION

### Ambulance Brigade's Campaign

#### WEEKLY RETURN

The number of persons vaccinated—free of charge—by members of the Ambulance Brigade, up to and including Thursday, March 27, 1930, is:

Chinese Y.M.C.A. Division	17,291
King's College Division (Old)	4,055
King's College Division (New)	7,344
Railway Division	5,815
Indian Division	21,502
Kowloon Division	43,571
Mongkok Division	6,736
Shaokwan Division	1,307
St. Joseph's College Division	1,019
Motor Drivers' Assn. Division	9,987
Chinese Athletic Division	1,287
Un Long	339
Victoria Nursing Division	548
Y.W.C.A. Nursing Division	1,283,871

## UNIVERSITY UNION

### Meeting of Photo Club

At the second annual general meeting of the University Amateur Photographic Club, the following were elected officials for the year 1930—

President, Dr. M. B. Osman; Chairman, Mr. K. W. Kho; Hon. Secretary, Mr. P. S. Lee; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. K. D. Ling; Committee Members, Mr. F. Y. Khoo, Mr. G. E. Yeoh, Mr. C. Y. Yeap, and Mr. T. K. Lien.

A suggestion to form a cinema section was adopted. This section is open to associate members and all the general public interested.

## STANDARD TIMES

### Sunrise And Sunset In Colony

Sunrise and Sunset in Hong Kong for April (Standard time of the 120th Meridian, East of Greenwich) are as follows:—

April	Sunrise	Sunset
	a.m.	p.m.
1	6.16	6.38
2	6.16	6.38
3	6.15	6.39
4	6.14	6.39
5	6.13	6.40
6	6.12	6.40
7	6.11	6.41
8	6.10	6.41
9	6.10	6.41
10	6.09	6.41
11	6.08	6.42
12	6.07	6.42
13	6.05	6.42
14	6.05	6.43
15	6.04	6.43
16	6.03	6.43
17	6.02	6.44
18	6.01	6.44
19	6.01	6.45
20	6.00	6.46
21	5.59	6.46
22	5.58	6.46
23	5.58	6.46
24	5.57	6.47
25	5.56	6.47
26	5.55	6.47
27	5.55	6.48
28	5.54	6.48
29	5.53	6.48
30	5.52	6.49

## Have You Heard?—

"Yes," said the angler, at the conclusion of his story, "it was rather awkward getting it home. You see, I had to wait for the corridor train."

Sweet Young Thing: "How is Betty getting on now she is married?" Friend: "Oh, she is just like the rest. Before she was married she had bushels of kisses, now she has to be satisfied with pecks."

First Golfer: "You know, it was really a toss-up this morning whether I came down here to play golf or went to business."

Second Golfer: "So it was with me, old man. In fact, I had to toss up fourteen times before I got a decision."

Mrs. Jones decided to buy a new hat, and visited her favourite hatshop. After she had tried on about thirty, she suddenly spotted one she liked.

"Yes," she said, "this will do nicely. Will you please send it along as soon as possible?"

"I will if you like, madam," answered the assistant; "but it is the one you were wearing when you came in."

The mistress of the house entered her husband's bedroom and noticed everything topsy-turvy; the chairs on the bed, the washstand pulled into the middle of the room and half the carpet up.

"Bless me, Mary," she exclaimed to the maid standing with spring-cleaning things all ready. "You haven't been long in getting the room prepared!"

"No, mum," came the reply. "When I brought the master his tea up this morning I pinched his back collar stud and I reckoned on this happening."

They were viewing the land to seek a suitable building site. Land Agent: "This is the plot, sir!"

Prospective Tenant: "It looks more like a conspiracy!"

The waiter found the customer very hard to please—he did not want this and he did not want that; until finally he thought he would have a mutton chop, with vegetables.

But alas! As soon as he started upon it, he angrily called the waiter and gave him a piece of his mind. The waiter gloomily sought out the proprietor and said:

"That gentleman says his chop isn't fit for a pig."

"Take it away then, you fool," roared the proprietor, "and bring him one that is!"

## CURES STUTTERING

### Queer School Opened in Paris

Henry Cumming, special correspondent, Bangkok Daily Mail and United Press, writes from Paris:—A smoothly rippling conversational ability and a joyful heart is the only diploma offered the graduates of Professor Bouffet's school for stutters in Paris.

At a recent meeting of the "Think and Act" club of stutters, visitors were the only stutters present. Forty odd persons of both sexes, including stutters, former stutters, and non-stutters listened spell-bound to the glib and polished discourses of Professor Bouffet's advanced students. Ecstatic and unflattering speeches were heard on the joy of living, and the goodness of life in general.

### Singing Stutters

The meeting at the stutters' club was a special one designed to point out the progress made, and the method employed by Professor Bouffet in the treatment of his afflicted pupils. Bouffet, himself a former stutterer, regaled the audience, in his turn, with an easy and flowing dissertation on his system of instruction.

Those who remained after the meeting witnessed illustrations and heard theories propounded by Professor Bouffet. Two young children, stuttering painfully, were coaxed into song, and the listeners were shown a specific example of the claim that a stutterer is not hampered by his affliction.

### Course Requires Patience

Professor Bouffet has largely based his instruction on this principle. But he lays greater immediate stress on the qualities of patience and tenacity. His cure requires two years of determined and unceasing effort. There are so short-cuts to achievement for a stutterer, he says. At the end of two years, faithful students have produced brilliant results. At the school, and the exhibition of M. Bouffet's progress at the "Think and Act" club, argues well the success of his efforts.

During the period of two years, the pupil is taught to master his stammer, always a formidable problem among instructors of stutters. His mind goes through a process of re-education, his imagination is stimulated, and he goes forth almost a new man. Moral, as well as technical, instruction is deemed essential.



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